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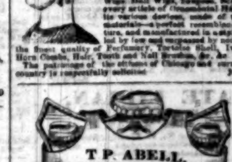

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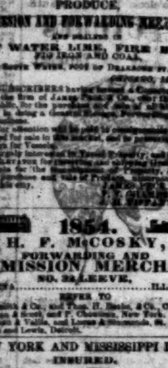

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THE CAIRO EXCURSION.

Before the close of the last session of the Legislature, an invitation was extended, by Col. Mason, to the members to take an excursion over the Illinois Central Railroad to Cairo, in order that they might have an opportunity of examining the character of the road, and seeing the State of Illinois from the Wisconsin line to Cairo. The invitation was accepted, and, the 5th of May fixed upon as the time which would best suit the convenience of the members. From the time of the acceptance, the excursion was looked forward to, with more than ordinary solicitude by many who, though long residents of the State, had never been farther South than Springfield, and knew nothing, from personal observation, of the magnitude of the prairies and forests, and the resources of what was known as "Egypt."

Two weeks before the 5th inst. Col. Mason extended his invitation to the members of the Council of this city, and the Editorial corps, members of Congress, and various gentlemen throughout the State who have been noted for the part they have taken in developing the resources of the State through the instrumentality of the Central and other railroad enterprises. About four hundred invitations were given out, and as each card included a lady, there was no reason to doubt that the excursion would be large in point of numbers.

At a quarter past ten o'clock on Tuesday evening, the 8th inst., the excursion train left the Wells street depot. The inclemency of the weather [illegible] prevented many from going. The company did not however number over a hundred persons though a number of Senators and Representatives, with their wives, from the Northern part of the State, had come here to start from this point. Besides these we noticed Aldermen Church, Fletcher, Ellithorpe, Haines, Sexton, Gray, Hayman, Stickney, Cobb, and Ward, and a number of our most prominent citizens, among whom were Dr. D. S. Smith, Thomas Church, A. H. [illegible], and Dr. Kennicott.

At the junction we were joined by Senator Adams of Kane, and Representatives [illegible] of Boone; at Aurora by Representative Hackney and Mr. Gibson of Kendall; at Newark and Somonauk by Representatives Westgate of Kendall and Patten of DeKalb; at Mendota by Mr. Speaker Turner, Senator Kellogg of Bureau, and Representatives Little of Jo Daviess, Ayres of Winnebago, Henry of Whiteside, Stevenson of Stark, and at La Salle by Senator Arnold of Peoria, and Campbell of McDonough, Representatives Parks of Will, Boal of Marshall, Day of La Salle, and Grove of Peoria, and various other distinguished citizens of the Northern part of the State. From La Salle to Bloomington, a distance of sixty miles, the road passes through a vast prairie country, with but few farms to vary the beauty of the landscape and scenery.—At the latter place we were joined by Judge McCann, representative of McLean county. [illegible]

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The train arrived at Wapella, thirty miles south of Bloomington, about seven o'clock, and we were greeted with such a breakfast as was probably never before set on any table in Central or any other part of Illinois. Col. Mason had sent Mr. Akers, now of the Ashley House, and formerly of the Tremont, in this city, and all the preparations were made for four hundred persons. [illegible]

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From the Illinois river, the foliage of the groves and the orchards increased, until at this point,—only one hundred and ten miles south of La Salle,—appeared to be in advance of that in the Northern counties, by the middle of June. Here, too, the orchards were more abundant, and the buds on peach, apple, plum and cherry trees, gave hopeful promise of an abundance of fruit this year. Winter wheat was up at least a foot and corn had nearly all been planted, and in some fields the young sprouts were above the ground. [illegible]

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After passing Decatur about twenty miles the soil appeared to change, and instead of that deep and rich black loam which characterizes the prairies of Northern and Central Illinois, there was a preponderance of white and yellow clay, with a thin covering of loam. Owing to this fact, and the absence of rain for a fortnight, the grass was short,—not so far long as it is even as far north as La Salle.

In Shelby county we crossed the line of the Alton and Terre Haute Railroad, and observed a large number of men laying down ties and iron. [illegible]

[illegible]

Six miles North of Cairo, we left the bluffs and passed over the "Bottom" on a bridge which the Company have erected so as to be above the high water from the Ohio river. [illegible]

At ten minutes after six o'clock, the train struck the Levee on the Ohio shore, and at once that beautiful river, so far North as "Mound City," and South to where it is lost in the waters of the Mississippi, with the Kentucky shore covered with a magnificent green forest, burst upon the view. It was a thrilling scene, and gave inexpressible delight to the hundreds who witnessed it. At ten minutes past six, the cars stopped in front of the passenger depot at Cairo, having made the entire distance from Chicago in a little less than twenty hours, including stoppages.

The Central Company have erected a large hotel near the depot, and though it was not expected to open it so soon, it had hastily been prepared, as well as it could be at ten days notice, for the reception of guests. Mr. Grimes, the landlord, did all that he could do to accommodate the immense throng that poured in upon him. The ladies were all provided with rooms, and a large number of gentlemen, and the remainder sought accommodations on the wharf boat, (an old Steamer) and at the old Cairo hotel. Supper was deferred till eight o'clock, and in the meantime, the visitors washed themselves with Mississippi water, and strolled off toward the confluence of the La Belle Riviere and the Father of Waters. The latter is now measurably cut off from Cairo by the change in the channel, which is gradually making into the Missouri shore,—having in the last few years taken off a quarter of a mile of Hiram Pearson's paper town, Ohio city. Bird's Island, with a small but not navigable channel of the Mississippi on the Northeast of it, intervenes between Cairo and the main channel of the river, so that steamers coming down from St. Louis cannot land at Cairo except by coming around on the Ohio shore. The Mississippi shore can probably never be used for wharfing purposes, except during very high water, and then the current is very rapid.

The Illinois Central Railroad Levee, over thirty feet above the present level of the Ohio river, occupies the whole Ohio front, and the city, as it has only about 300 inhabitants) is in the rear, on a level table land about fifteen feet below the top of the levee. It appears to be a clay soil, and can be drained by sewers to the Ohio river, except when it is very high, and then there is no way to drain, except to pump,—a plan that may be resorted to when the population increases to thousands, as it doubtless will within a few years. It has been estimated that the whole place may be filled up with earth to a level with the levee for $5,000,000, but this is too large an amount to be thought of.

After supper, which was rich beyond all comparison—the table being loaded with tropical fruits and every delicacy that money could procure—the large dining room was cleared, and dancing commenced and continued till midnight.

After breakfast, next morning, a legislative meeting of the guests took place, to express the sentiments of the members of the Legislature and invited guests at the handsome manner they had been treated by Col Mason, in behalf of the Central Railroad, and the pleasure they had felt in the excursion. Gov. Matteson was called to the chair, and the editors present requested to act as secretaries. Speeches were made by Gov. Bingham of Michigan, Dr. Maxwell, Judge Trumbull, Col. Hacker, W. H. Stickney, Dr. Kennicott, Hon. James Knox, Mr. Church of Cincinnati, and other gentlemen, each expressing the strongest admiration of the distinguished gentleman (Col. Mason) under whose direction and direct superintendence this mighty enterprise had been carried through to completion. The speeches were necessarily short, and we had no facilities for reporting them.

On motion, Gov. Matteson appointed a committee of five to draw up resolutions, to express the sentiments of the members of the Legislature and the invited guests, at the handsome manner in which they had been treated. This committee was composed of Messrs. Osgood and Kykendall, of the Senate; and Dr. Boal, Messrs. Dunlap and Day of the House.

The following are the resolutions:

Resolved, That we hail with peculiar satisfaction, the completion of the Illinois Central Railroad to Cairo, as one of the most important eras in the history of the State, and that we look upon this great work, connecting the Lower Mississippi with the upper part of it, and the great lakes, as one of the noblest achievements of the age in which we live.

Resolved, That the perfection of the arrangements for this excursion, both in their general plan and all the details with which they have been carried out, meets our most cordial approbation, and merits our warmest acknowledgments to those who have contributed so much to our enjoyment.

Resolved, That in Col. R. B. Mason, we recognize the able and the practical engineer, the energetic business man, and the accomplished gentleman. Our State owes him a debt of gratitude far beyond the power of language to express.

Resolved, That the President, Directors and Engineers of the Illinois Central Railroad Company are entitled to our warmest thanks for the energy with which they have pushed forward this great enterprise, and they richly merit the gratitude of the whole State.

Resolved, That we look forward to the time when this railroad shall be extended to Mobile with the deepest interest, and desire most earnestly its early completion.

Resolved, That we tender to Col. Mason, and to the Directors and employees of the Illinois Central Railroad Company, our warmest acknowledgments for the enjoyments of this occasion.

The train left Cairo at precisely eight o'clock, and reached Centralia, 112 miles, at half past twelve, where a most bountiful and luxurious dinner was waiting. This was dispatched, and a meeting organized by the invited guests, (no members of the Legislature.)

Dr. Maxwell was called to the chair, and speeches were made by Messrs. Brooks of N. Y., and Grove of Peoria. A committee, consisting of Mr. Day of Peru, and Dr. D. S. Smith and Alderman Fletcher of Chicago, were appointed to prepare resolutions. The following was reported by them:

Resolved, That the warmest thanks of this meeting are due, and are hereby tendered, to the Illinois Central Railroad Company, whose munificence has provided for us this excursion, unsurpassed in pleasure and delight; exhibiting to us, at one view, the boundless resources and inexhaustible riches of our State; and enabling us to inspect their road, the most gigantic enterprise of the kind in the Union, and a noble monument of American perseverance and skill.

Resolved, That our grateful acknowledgments are also due, and are hereby cordially expressed, to Col. R. B. Mason, the talented, practical and efficient Chief Engineer of the road, whose courtesy, kindness and attention to us, as the guests of the company during this excursion, have endeared him to our memories.

Resolved, That the name of Col. Mason will ever be associated with this great work, in which he has been so arduous and distinguished a part, and that they will go down to a grateful posterity together, as the greatest road and the worthiest engineer of the day. Embarking with the fortunes of the road, at its earliest infancy, he has guided them on through evil and good report, until he to-day sees their complete success. In all the changes of officers, directors and employees, connected with the Company, he alone has remained unchanged. He has been at his post day and night. He has travelled from one end of the State to the other in all weathers and seasons. He has braved sickness and every other danger, and throughout all, he has preserved his character as an excellent officer and a perfect gentleman, entirely undiminished. No words can be too strong to express his worth; no eulogy so flattering but that it will find a warm response in the hearts of the people of the State.

Resolved, That to the other officers and agents of the road we are deeply indebted for the kindness and care which they have uniformly manifested toward us during this excursion.

At two o'clock the train again started north. The weather was delightful, and the company very happy. At Wapella, supper was served in the usual profuse style, our old friend, Capt. J. B. Wyman, of the Light Guards, being master of the ceremonies, and doing the honors in a way that no one understands so well as he.

At Bloomington a large part of the company stopped for the night; and had pleasant quarters at the "Humane" (formerly "Pike") House. On Friday they had a pleasant time strolling and riding around Bloomington, and took the cars at ten o'clock precisely, arriving here at six minutes after six.

Thus ended, without the slightest accident or misfortune to mar its festivities, one of the most magnificent excursions ever enjoyed in this country, extending through nearly one thousand miles of territory, embracing the best portions of the State of Illinois, and carried on in all its details, with a liberality and magnificence unsurpassed and unsurpassable.

Chicago.

By what magic?—is the almost involuntary exclamation that rises to our lips on entering the city of Chicago, after an interval of only a few months at the farthest! There is nothing in history, save perhaps, the development of San Francisco, that parallels Chicago in its growth, wealth and importance.

Nearly a hundred thousand inhabitants! Marble palaces, [illegible] of trade, of fashion and [illegible] [illegible]! Look at its galleries of Art, its [illegible] Societies, its houses of trade, its [illegible] [illegible], and most of all its newspaper [illegible]!

Twenty years have done it—what will twenty more do? Quadruple it? More. Half a million is but an estimate for the destiny of Chicago in twenty years—nor does the great West yet dream a tithe of its capacity. Chicago and the great West are now blended, and will go forward together. Tell me the one, a decade hence, and I will read you the other. Prosperity attend them.—*Laporte Republican Times.*

THE DIFFERENCE.—It is stated, that the southeastern part of Iowa, land on the Iowa side of the Missouri river bringe, say ten dollars per acre, while land equally good in quality, on the Missouri side, brings say five and three, or in about that proportion. Such is the effect of the different institutions of the two States.

TWO SENATORS.

The Chicago *Democrat* of the 11th contains a paragraph in which, adopting a style usual to that sheet, Senator Cook of Ottawa is accused of selling himself to Gov. Matteson, in consideration of the Attorneyship in the suits instituted by the Governor, against the securities of Wadsworth & Sheldon, Agents of the State. The *Democrat* intimates that his votes in the Senate are hereafter to be influenced by the cause that we have mentioned. Senator Cook needs no defence from such an accusation. His political and private life is a sufficient answer to the calumny that its author dared only insinuate—not write out in full. In reference to the matter—Mr. Cook's course has been above suspicion. A friend of the Governor, but a better friend of right and justice, he shrunk in the Senate, from no responsibility that his position, as chairman of the Committee of Finance, made it necessary for him to assume; and every one of his acts will bear the most rigid scrutiny of friend and foe. We protest against that kind of newspaper warfare that, without cause, or upon the highest suspicion, charges a public servant with corruption so gross as that attributed to Senator Cook. In this case it will fall short of its object; but it will not fail to create a belief that the source from whence the charges come, needs purification more than the person charged. One always ready to cry out upon others, will bear watching himself.

Senator Osgood, of Will, is also made to sell out—the price in his case, being a mission to New York, upon business connected with the finances of the state. Him, we leave to the *Democrat*. His wanton treachery to his friends; his wilful and knowing and repeated violations of his pledges, written and oral—pledges made under circumstances that ought to have insured their observance; his abandonment of the principles upon which he was elected, and to which his constituents still hold; his meanness and servility; his dough-faced acquiescence in whatever his masters at Springfield commanded—have destroyed any title to respect that he may once have had; and we turn him over to the Democrat to do with him as it pleases. It is a fight in which the TRIBUNE will not interfere.

MONETARY AND COMMERCIAL.

The Cincinnati and Chicago Railroad Company, have purchased, through their Agents Messrs. W. S. Rowland & Co., of New York, rails sufficient to complete 108 miles of their road, to Logansport, and will open the road to that point about the 1st of September next.

The sales of land by the Illinois Central Railroad for the month ending May 1, were 18,660 acres, amounting to $250,847 96. Of these there were sold of

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The whole amount of land sales to May 1, apart from pre-emption lands, has been 92,280 acres, for $1,015,517 23, averaging $11 per acre.

This is very satisfactory, and is a much larger average than is required to pay off all the Bonds before the lands are exhausted. It is, however, very certain that when one half the lands have been sold and settled, the remaining half will be largely appreciated in value, and probably be worth nearly as much as the whole was before the sales commenced.

We understand that Mr. Boody of the Wabash Valley road, while in Europe, negotiated $200,000 of the 1st Mortgage Bonds of that Road, and a negotiation was going on favorably when he left for a further amount of $280,000. The Chicago and Galena Road are in market for a loan of a million of dollars, 2d mortgage, for the purpose of completing their road. These bonds are to have a sinking fund sufficient to pay them off in 20 years, which would require about $50,000 per annum. The Company is asking 85 for these Bonds, and the offers are about 80 and upward. It is understood that a sinking fund is to be established for the redemption of the indebtedness of the Cleveland and Toledo Road. So the sinking fund feature is spreading and should spread.

Holders of Michigan Southern or Northern Indiana Railroad Stock are requested to present their certificates at the office of the Company, and receive in return their Consolidated Stock.

The holders of the Rock River Valley Union Railroad 7 per cent. Mortgage Bonds are notified that all of said railroad and railroad property embraced in the mortgage of said road to R. J. Walker, Trustee, dated Sept. 9, 1851, to secure the payment of said Bonds and interest, together with all franchises and appurtenances, were sold by the Trustee, successor to R. J. Walker in the said trust, at public auction at Janesville, Wisconsin, on the 24th of March last, for the purpose of paying the principal and interest of said Bonds, said principal having been declared due and payable by many holders, as authorized by terms of the mortgage, in consequence of default in payment of the interest. All holders of the said Bonds, who were not parties to the purchase of the mortgaged property, are hereby notified that they can receive their dividend of the proceeds of said sale by calling at the office of Charles Butler, No. 12 Wall-st, New York, and delivering up their Bonds.

The Quebec *Chronicle* states that it is in contemplation by New York and Boston capitalists to apply for a banking charter in Canada, under the title of the International Bank, with the view of giving banking facilities to the enormous trade springing up on the shores of Huron and Superior. The capital to be asked for will be £250,000 ($1,000,000), with power to increase to £500,000, and with all the provisions laid down in the bill for the Sherbrooke Bank will be acceded to.

STRONG.—Three of our banks had yesterday morning on hand the nice amount of six millions one hundred and twenty-three thousand five hundred and forty-eight dollars in specie. In addition, the Canal Bank had $1,094,940, or one dollar and five and a half cents in coin for a dollar in circulation. It is very seldom we find banking institutions in as strong a position in any part of the commercial world.—*N. O. Crescent, May 1.*

The New York Central and Erie Roads have again revived the competition between them for passengers, and have reduced their fares, on one train at least, to $6,50 for through passengers, the old rate being $9.

The Attorney General of Michigan is in New York for the purpose of investigating the Government State Bank Fraud.

We learn from Albany papers that counterfeit fives on the exchange Bank of Genesee have made their appearance, and that a young man was arrested there on Monday for passing them. The following is the description: The signatures are good, but the engraving coarse and pale.—The vignette is a female in a sitting posture, with uplifted arms and surrounded with sheaves of grain. In the distance is represented a locomotive attached to a train of cars, and a large building representing an extensive factory. On the left is the representation of the State die, and words, "secured by public stocks and real estate J. Nichols, Reg," with figure five above and below it. On the right is a representation of a female standing, with the word "Five" above and below it. They are signed "H. T. Cross, Cash., D. W. Tomlinson, Pres."

"OUTRAGE BY THE FEDERAL GOVERNMENT."

The St. Louis *Intelligencer* is kept in a constant fever by the prosperity of Chicago. It sees nothing, hears nothing, feels nothing, that points not toward Chicago, and stirs its bile by prophecies of that "abolition city's" greatness. Its latest grief has been found in the fact that the General Government has lately concluded a contract by which the Illinois Central Railroad Company is to receive $180,000 a year for carrying a river mail between New Orleans and Cairo. Hear the *Intelligencer* rave:

"What Southern man—what man on the lower Mississippi—wishes to write to Cairo or to Chicago? Is not this great Cairo and New Orleans mail contract only a scheme to bolster up the Illinois Central Railroad Company, and enable them to run a daily line of steamboats to New Orleans in connection with the southern terminus of their road? And what portion of the country is to be benefitted by this mammoth contract? Not Louisville, that has heretofore had southern travel and southern carriage through her borders. Not the Ohio river towns and cities, that have heretofore enjoyed it. Not St. Louis that would be preferred by most of the South over a far northern town. None of these regions or cities are to be benefited, in any real way, by a mammoth mail contract, professedly Southern in its scope, but really Northern in its bearing. *Chicago—Chicago alone*—a city that habitually insults southern institutions, and contemns the Federal laws—*Chicago* is to reap the only profit of this vast river mail contract; and the Ohio river and its population are to be deprived of their necessarily and previously enjoyed mail facilities to enable the Post Office Department to have money to squander on a northern abolition city, and an overgrown Railroad Company of eastern men, who first got the Federal Government to give them means from the Federal treasury to build their railroad with! Who is the Post Master General; and what are the river towns between Louisville and St. Louis doing in the premises?"

STOP OFF THE GAS.—The Rock Island *Daily News* appears to be "down on" the gas operations of that place. It appears that after the citizens had gone through a great glorification to celebrate the introduction of gas into their city, had rented tallow dips to "be blowed" and had all a blaze, the gas was let on; but in the expressive language of the editor, "it flickered and stunk, and stunk and flickered," until "it finally died the death of a bursting, and left the city in darkness."

NATIONAL COUNCIL OF COLORED PEOPLE.

One of the most interesting of the many anniversary meetings held in New York during the past week, has been that of the National Council of Colored People. We have read the report of their proceedings with the liveliest attention and the deepest sympathy. On the evening of their first day's session, Mr. FRED. DOUGLASS presented the following resolutions from the Business Committee:

Whereas, Long years of oppression and slavery have debarred colored youth from gaining a *practical* knowledge of mechanical science, and have doomed them to menial avocations for a livelihood; and *whereas*, a bitter and persecuting prejudice against colored people (peculiar to our Republican community) stands as with drawn sword, ready to strike down the aspiring colored youth the moment he advances toward the workshop, with the view to attaining a respectable trade; and, *whereas*, the only escape from degradation for our people is to be found in a renunciation of the position of a servile class, and in turning our attention to education, productive industry, and a practical knowledge of mechanical sciences: therefore,

Resolved, That it is the first business of this Council, charged with the duty of looking after and promoting the well-being of the colored people, to establish some means whereby our youth may no longer be deprived of useful, honorable and lucrative trades.

Resolved, That as one means to this important end the Council reaffirms, and that they do hereby adopt the plan for an Industrial College which has been reported by the Committee, and which has during a period of twelve months or more, been regularly published in Frederick Douglass's paper, and that they in furtherance of the same object adopt the second report submitted to them by the Committee on Industrial College.

Mr. JAMES D. BONNER, of this city, thought the colored people had too long been dependent upon what might be done for them by the whites. It was time that they did something for themselves. He hoped this Report would be adopted, for he did not believe that the colored youth could otherwise find channels through which to elevate themselves to a position of independence and respectability.

Mr. Douglass fully concurred with the last speaker in the propriety of adopting the Report; but he deemed the Industrial College of so much moment that he hoped it would be more fully discussed. He believed that if an agent had been appointed at the time the plan was first proposed it would now be placed in a position of success beyond all doubt. This scheme had been pronounced by the first periodical in the world to be the greatest and most comprehensive plan for elevating the colored race in this country yet proposed. That is the opinion of the New York Tribune. He was aware that some of the Abolition papers had opposed the plan, but if the colored people would ever arrive at a respectable place in society they must *do their own thinking*. The colored people are now the sick men of America; those who pretend to be their friends measure their place and guage their ideas and pat them on the back, but if they step beyond that narrow place those friends become villifiers and enemies. He wanted the colored men to feel that they possess the power to overcome the prejudice against their color. He did not see why colored men's enterprises should be stigmatized by color. When white men start a school for their children no one stigmatises it as proscriptive; why then do they charge the colored man with proscriptiveness when he seeks to overcome the disabilities attendant upon his position? The proscription is theirs, not his. It had been asserted then on the one hand that colored children could easily learn trades, and on the other that after they had learned them they could not get employment at them. Was that not an argument for the colored man to help himself. But he would admit that this school is not needed when the workshop and the studio, and every other branch of business, shall be open to the sons and daughters of color on equal terms with, or at least some show of kindness, from the whites. Until then he must feel that this plan is the best yet offered for elevating the people of his hue.

Several other speakers discussed the resolutions. Some of the speakers contended that the fault of the menial position of the colored people lay in their own apathy and indolence. Others spoke with deep feeling of the impassable barriers which the prejudices of the whites had placed across the doors to their factories and machine shops, and related instances in which attempts had been made to obtain situations for colored youths to learn mechanical trades, which resulted in the workmen striking and leaving the manufactory in a body.

Mr. William Wilson of Brooklyn, said it had been argued that the children of the colored race are not prepared for such a move as is contemplated; it is then obvious that they must be prepared, and how is this to be done? Such a school as the one in question would be a nucleus around which colored children could gather and be indoctrinated with such a spirit of enterprise as they never before felt, and as would enable them to achieve independence. The majority of the colored people themselves speak contemptuously of all enterprises set on foot by colored men, and lend their hearty co-operation and favor to all movements in which white men are concerned. He felt, and he wished his fellow-colored men could adopt the same views, that if they would rise to a position of respect they must act for and respect themselves.

Mr. Bonner said it would appear from the remarks of Mr. Downing and others that no prejudice at all existed in this country against color; such a view was absurd in the extreme. He cited instances to the contrary, showing that even among the most radical Abolitionists in the city of his residence, Chicago, he—than whom no colored man there stood a better chance or had more influence—had been unable to get a colored boy, his own nephew, a situation, the white workmen in the shops refusing to work beside him.

Mr. Douglass hoped that if they voted down this proposition the Council would remember that they decided that it was proscriptive for the colored people to make any effort to elevate themselves; that they were incompetent to do anything to help themselves; the fiat had gone forth from the central organ at Boston that all efforts to elevate the free colored people while Slavery existed in America are useless. He expected to see the school voted down, and should say no more.

Chas L. Remond of Mass., held that what the colored race most wanted in this country was equal rights in the community, a fair field and no favor. This he believed the Anti-Slavery party would afford him. And with such a field he did not need any such school as the one proposed. The great want was a public sentiment recognizing the colored man as an American citizen. Whatever position the colored race had attained to in this country was due to the efforts of the Abolitionists, and whatever they had to hope for would be through their assistance, and he was not prepared to turn his back upon them.

After some more discussion the report was adopted. We are happy to announce this decision to the people of Illinois, and we trust that the colored people of this State will put their shoulders to this work and do their portion of it well. They are able to do it—their duty calls upon them to do it—their dearest and best interests demand that they should do it. They will not be disappointed in receiving substantial aid from their white brethren, if they show them that they are themselves not only ready but anxious for the movement.

The Council also passed a series of resolutions appointing a committee to call a national convention of the colored people of the Union, to be held in Philadelphia in October next. It also passed the following resolution:

Resolved, That the moral improvement and social elevation of the free colored people of the North is an efficient means of promoting the emancipation of the slaves of the South; and that this council finds it impossible to repose confidence in the genuineness of that Abolitionism which, while it denounces Slavery at the south, scouts as delusive and hurtful all schemes for the moral and social elevation of the free colored people at the North.

Mr. JOHN JONES of this city, was appointed Agent for the West to collect funds for and to dispose of stock in the Manual Labor School.

PAPAL INTELLIGENCE.

There is no more striking proof of the want of toleration exhibited by Romanism than recent affairs in Spain. Although, as the Boston Bee remarks, Spain relies upon England to uphold her rule over Cuba, the government of that country has resolved to apply for the recall of the English Ambassador at Madrid, because that gentleman has asked that Protestants in Spain shall be treated with common decency, and be allowed to bury their dead in peace. He does not ask that Protestants shall be placed on the same footing in Spain that Spanish Romanists occupy in England, but only that some small concessions shall be made to the dominant sentiment of the age, concessions that Spain ought to have made voluntarily, and which it is a disgraceful fact that she should be in a condition to have asked of her; and for this enormous offence on his part, Spain is willing to interrupt her diplomatic relations with a country upon which she is leaning for support, and whose fleets she expects would defend Cuba against American attacks, should the disputes between the Cabinets of Washington and Madrid unhappily lead to war. It seems that the Spanish Government is convinced of the justice of Howden's demands and would readily grant them if left to decide for itself; but it fears that the fanaticism of the people, who are the bitterest Romanists in the world, would lead to a revolution if it should consent to a recognition of the legal right of a Protestant father in Spain to bury his dead child. Fifteen centuries of Romanism in Spain have brought that country to such a point of bigotry that it wars even against dead people, which, however, it must be admitted, are the only sort of people against whom the Spaniards can contend with any chance of success. We are curious to see what kind of answer the British Government will make to the modest demand that has been made upon it by the rulers of the old home of the Inquisition. What a row the Romanists would kick up if they were not allowed to bury their dead quietly in countries where Protestantism is the prevailing form of religion.—*Philadelphia Sun.*

A FAIR HIT.—The Washington Union, speaking of Commodore McCauley's mission to the gulf, says:

"He does not go with the lexicographer in his hand to enter into philological disquisition with Spanish officers."

"Does not go with a *lexicographer* in his hand!" We think that the government editor, had better get a *lexicon* in his hand before he presumes to talk about "philological disquisitions" or anything else.—*Louisville Jour.*

CROP PROSPECTS.

We continue to receive accounts of the prospects of the farmer for the season, from various parts of the country. From Barry County, Mich., we hear, through The Pioneer, that wheat never promised fairer than it does now. It is magnificent beyond description, covering the ground evenly all over with a rich profusion of its rank growing vitality. Grass is also coming on nicely; that, with the wild feed of the forests, gives the cattle a prolific range for sustenance. Nature at present seems to smile upon the prospects of the husbandman. In all parts of the State of Michigan the prospect seems about the same.

From Wisconsin we have most flattering accounts, through papers and letters. But little winter wheat is killed, and the fields generally wear a vigorous appearance. In some counties, it is said that wheat is more promising than at any previous time since the country was settled. Spring wheat, too, is largely sown, and begins to look green. A large area is being sown. The whole prospect of Wisconsin farms appears very good.

In Indiana, the season, though backward for grass, has been favorable for spring plowing, and an unusually large number of acres will be planted. In Jennings County the prospect is very fine. In Decatur County, late rains have given a green appearance to all the fields. On many fields of clayey land, however, in that section of the State the wheat was very badly winter killed. The prospect of fruit in the northeast section of the State is very flattering. Apples, plums, pears and peaches are all in full bloom. Corn-planting is progressing rapidly, and to a very large extent.

In Ohio, particularly near the Ohio river, the wheat upon the rolling lands is spoken of as wearing a very flourishing appearance. In Highland County the crop is spoken of in flattering terms. The weather in April was unusually warm, though rather too dry for grass and small grain. Take the State through, and accounts concur that the prospects of the season are better than usual. The present high prices stimulate farmers to plant all the acres they can. There are a great many more laborers engaged this season than have been for many years before in tilling the soil. More spring wheat than usual will be sown this year in Ohio, and calculations are making for a monster corn crop. The prospect of a good crop of fruit in Ohio is spoken of in flattering terms all over the State, so far as we can judge, except peaches in the north part of the State, where the buds are killed, and in some instances the entire tree. The great selling crop of Ohio is all kinds of cattle. The following is given as the exports of horn cattle from some of the principal counties last year:

Pickaway,	8,500 head.
Ross,	5,000 "
Perry,	6,000 "
Madison,	30,000 "
Champaign,	10,000 "
Trumbull,	8,000 "
Wood,	3,000 "
Montgomery,	5,000 "
Lake,	3,000 "
Highland,	7,000 "

The Cincinnati Gazette of May 9th says:

"We have seen, within a few days a number of gentlemen from different parts of this State, and of Indians, who bear almost unbroken evidence of the fine appearance of the young crop of wheat that is coming."

From Tennessee, we have the flattering intelligence that in the center of the state wheat never presented a more promising appearance than it does now.

A gentleman writing from Westmoreland Co., Va., (on the Northern neck of Va.,) which has lately become a wheat growing country, says he never saw a better prospect of a good crop.

In New York accounts continue favorable. In all the central counties the prospect is very good. The Livingston County Republican thinks the breadth sown is one-fourth larger than at any former period.

The Ontario Republican says, speaking of wheat:

"It is our luxuriant and vigorous growth that many of our farmers think it beyond danger from the weevil. We are glad to learn also that more acres were sowed to wheat last fall than usual, and that our farmers are making arrangements to appropriate more land to spring crops."

The Lancaster (Pennsylvania) Herald of May 24, says:

"The appearance of the wheat fields has undergone a great change for the better within the last few days, and the farmers speak encouragingly of the prospect ahead. The grass is also growing finely, and if the present favorable weather continues, there will be an abundance of food for both man and beast. We do not presume that prices will go down to the old standard for several years to come, even if the crops of all kinds should be large."

We are of the same opinion. We must have a succession of good crops to get back to an abundant supply and low rates. There is every incentive before the farmer to encourage him in his labor. Even another drouth should not dishearten him, since it has brought such an increase of prices.

"We have every reason to believe that the high prices of grain have proved an inducement to farmers all over the United States to increase the production to the utmost extent of their ability under their defective mode of cultivation; and we are satisfied that if all the corn ground was ploughed one inch deeper this spring, it would cause such an addition to the crop that it would obviate all danger of famine. It would increase the crop millions of bushels. As it is, the general disposition to plant more, and plow deeper and cultivate better, is encouraging in the highest degree.

The prospect is hopeful, and ought to encourage those who are struggling to keep their heads above water, that better times are coming. Our hope lays in increased production, because the country is never so prosperous, for producer as well as consumer, as when the price of food is low enough to be within the reach of all who perform honest labor. It is famine and starvation prices that we have to fear, and not a glutted market. We repeat, we have good reason to hope and rejoice at the present prospects of a good crop the present season.

EARLY VEGETATION.—A Florida paper speaks of corn in tassel, and beans, tomatoes, &c., in bloom, and ahead of lettuce six feet in circumference.

INCREASING CROPS.—A letter from Morris Co., N. J., says farmers have nearly finished sowing oats, and that they have put in an unusual number of acres. They were undoubtedly prompted to do this by finding that oats were selling at 75 cents a bushel at their very doors. Buckwheat is much sought after for seed, and is scarce at $1,25 a bushel. We hope enough will be grown to reduce this extravagant price. Wages of farm laborers, 75 cents a day and boarded.

PEACH TREES DYING IN MICHIGAN.—The Detroit Tribune says the peach trees of that State have been badly killed, and that a crop of fruit cannot be expected.

A GRAPE-VINE DESTROYER.—The same paper speaks of a small steel coloured bug that is eating into and destroying the buds of grape vines. It is the same insect that committed depredations five years ago.

DROUTH AT THE SOUTH.—A Mississippi correspondent, under date of April 25th, says no rain has fallen for five weeks, while the sun has poured down a fierce heat parching the earth like midsummer till fields are as dry as an ash heap. Early planted corn and cotton cannot find moisture enough to vegetate or grow after the plants are up a little way. Springs and streams are dried up, and stock suffering for water. All kinds of grain are very scarce, and man and beast are likely to suffer for food. Planters are borrowing money at two per cent a month, to buy corn and beans.

PRICE OF POTATOES FALLING.—The Philadelphia papers notice the fall of price in potatoes, which there, as here, have been enormously high this spring. They were selling in quantities at Philadelphia at $2 25 per bushel, and now at about $1 25. The reduction is said to be occasioned by the arrival of supplies from Nova Scotia and Burmoda. We have noticed late sales in Boston at 71c., and in Connecticut that is a current price. The Erie papers say that potatoes are $1 60al 75 per bushel in that town, which proves that the fall in the price at Philadelphia comes from seaward. The papers of that city, boldly charge that prices are kept up by conspiracy among the Potato Merchants, by a system of speculation, or more properly extortion, that has been carried on for several years, and call for penal enactments to regulate the trade.

We believe the only enactments that will have a tendency to reduce the price of food, will be such as will cause more of it to be grown. If every city, instead of maintaining its poor in idleness in some great almshouse or prison, would send them to cultivating the earth in the country, and give them nothing to eat but what they produced, it might have some tendency to keep the price within the reach of those who really work for what they eat in every large town.

There is something needed besides grumbling at the "protective monopoly," to reduce the price to the consumer. Let us have cheap potatoes—cheap to those who plant them.

FAMINE IN UPPER GEORGIA.—We have sad accounts from the north part of Georgia. The Dalton *Times* says that many people are without corn, or any means to procure any. And besides, there is none for sale. In some neighborhoods, a bushel could not be obtained for love or money. If they plead "our children will starve," they are answered, "so will mine, if I part with the little I have." Horses and mules are turned out into the wood, to wait for grass or starve. The consequence is, that those who have land can only plant what they can with the hoe—they cannot plow. It is seriously argued that, unless assisted soon, many of the poor class of that section must perish.—*N. Y. Tribune.*

DROUGHT AT THE SOUTH.—From our New Orleans exchanges we learn that a drought pervades the Southern portion of the country, and that its disastrous effects are already alarmingly perceptible. Vegetation droops under its influence, and the crops promise but a poor return to the husbandman for his labor. At New Orleans they are rejoicing over a slight shower which fell about the 1st instant. On the 3d Espy's theory was to have been tested by the discharge of cannon, and the burning of heaps of fuel in the fields of the country, and the streets of the towns and cities. We hope the proposed salute of 76 guns and the lighting of large fires produced the desired effect, and that ere this, the copious showers have visited our Southern friends. In this latitude we have been favored with ample rains thus far.

CROPS IN RANDOLPH CO. ILLINOIS.—Says the Chester Herald of last week: "From every locality we hear the most flattering accounts of the appearance of the wheat crops. So far, the farmers have a fine prospect for hay and spring crops, and the soil is in fine order for planting corn."

☞ The Philadelphia *Bulletin* wonders whether it was in serious, sober earnest that there was written and published in the list of passengers sailing by the Pacific, the following line: "The Honorable General Augustus Caesar Dodge, Minister Plenipotentiary to the Court of her Catholic Majesty Isabella II, Queen of Spain, his lady, three children and servant." This looks as if a new attempt was to be made on Spain.

NARROW ESCAPE OF THE POPE.

ROME, April 14.

The day before yesterday his Holiness was as nearly as possible crushed to death, in the monastery of St. Agnes *extra muros*, where he had been dining with a select party of cardinals and prelates, besides the dignitaries of his household, and the French and Austrian generals commanding at Rome and Ancona, De Montreal and Hoyos.

His Holiness entertained his distinguished guests at dinner in a large hall on the first floor, and subsequently admitted the pupils of the Propaganda College to kiss his foot. At this moment about 150 persons were collected together around the Pope, when an awful tremor manifested itself in the flooring, which his Holiness instantly perceived, and endeavored to prevent his guests from being alarmed at it, assuring them that it was the shock of an earthquake, a phenomenon with which his residence as nuncio in South America had rendered him somewhat familiar. However, before any farther conjectures were broached, the floor gave way,

"With hideous ruin, and combustion dire,"

and Pope, prelates, cardinals, generals, soldiers, and scholars were precipitated through it, without order of precedence, among falling beams and fragments of masonry. Cardinal Antonelli's good luck saved him alone of all the cardinals present; he was near the window, to which he clung for support, but his eminent brethren, Marini and Patrizi, were severely injured in their fall, as was the French general, and a great number of the Propaganda pupils. Pio Nono himself descended unhurt, and sitting in his Papal chair, and was extricated from the wreck amid exclamations of *miracolo! miracolo!* from all around. In gratitude for such an escape, his Holiness forthwith invited all who were able to follow him to enter the church, and with a loud voice intoned a thanksgiving to the Almighty, and afterward received the sacramental benediction from Monsignor Tizzani.—*Cor. London News.*

Dissolution of the Cuban Junta.

New Orleans, Thursday, May 3, 1855.

In my letter of Monday I announced the resignation of Gen. J. A. Quitman and other officers of the Cuban Expedition. I have now to announce the dissolution of the Cuban Junta. Goicouiria, the Treasurer of the Junta, and Elias Hernandez have resigned, and Frias, the only true patriot in the Junta, has sent his resignation to the Club at Havana. Goicouiria and Hernandez have taken their departure for New York. Betancourt and Valiente are now the only representatives of the celebrated blundering Junta. Two of the steamships owned by the Expedition are to be sold to pay the outstanding debts of the Junta. The transportation of the arms, &c., for the bark Magnolia cost over $40,000. Gen. Quitman returned to his home on Tuesday evening. The most popular man in the State of Mississippi is Gen. Quitman, and he will no doubt be called upon to serve his State in some high office by the Know Nothing party, as in November next Democracy will be badly beaten throughout that State.—*Correspondence N. Y. Tribune.*

SEBASTOPOL.—The New York *Tribune* predicts that the seige of Sebastopol will soon be raised. It arrives at the conclusion at the close a two column article devoted to the discussion of the probabilities of success.

SERIOUS RAILROAD ACCIDENT.—On Friday afternoon the passenger train on the Michigan Southern Railroad, due here at 9:30, evening, ran off the track at Elkhart, Indiana, in consequence of the displacement of a switch. The train was under a headway of twelve or fifteen miles per hour. The engine and tender were overturned into a ditch, severely scalding the engineer and fireman. The front cars were badly smashed, the rear baggage car entering the passenger car next to it ten feet or more, and the second and third passenger cars being more or less broken. Although the train was crowded with passengers, comparatively few were injured, and none mortally. Quite a number of persons were bruised and cut, and amongthem, eight out of a family of nine children, some of whom bore pretty severe marks of the disaster.

Hon. John S. Wells, ex-Senator for New Hampshire, was on board, in the forward passenger car, and met with a very narrow escape from death. He was thrown beneath the shattered cars, the timbers passing over him, and so closely confined him that the car had to be raised with jackscrews before he could be extricated. We are happy, however, to state that he was not seriously injured.

Disasters on the Allegheny.

About thirty fleets, averaging from four to six rafts each, of boards and timber, broke loose in the Allegheny river this morning, six miles above this city, and came down en masse against the piers of the upper bridge, where they were broken and smashed up in a shocking manner. For a time the river between the bridge was so literally filled with the wrecks, that the steamboats plying there could not get through them. We saw on several broken rafts, men exerting themselves with great energy, some with a board and others with poles, to keep from coming in contact with the piers of the St. Clair St. Bridge, and by great exertion got through them and landed safely on the bank below. Other wrecks had no one to guide them, and when last seen were making their way into the Ohio river.

The cause of this break is doubtless the sudden rise in the Allegheny, having come up about two and a half feet since yesterday.—*Pittsburgh Dispatch, 5th.*

Marine Intelligence.

ADDITIONS TO OUR FLEET.—The following named vessels have been enrolled at the Custom House in this city this spring, in addition to the fleet hitherto owned here:

Brig Algomah,	169 tons.
Schr. Sandusky,	110 "
" Sacramento,	116 "
" J. M. Jones,	156 "
" Undine*,	100 "
" May Queen,*	248 "
" North Cape,	103 "
" Farmer,	100 "

In addition to the above, a schooner of about 250 tons will be launched shortly by Capt. Barker. The brig Ocean has also been purchased, and is owned here.

*Built here since the close of navagation.—*Mil. Sentinel.*

WORMS.

☞ As this is the season of the year when worms are most troublesome among children, the proprietors of M'Lane's Vermifuge beg leave to call the attention of parents to its virtues for the expelling of those annoying, and often fatal enemies of children. [illegible]

RUSS'S IMPROVED AROMATIC SCHNAPPS.

PARTICULARLY recommended to all persons residing or traveling in the Southern and Western States, as a preventive of all Derangements of the Stomach and Bowels, produced by the Waters of these regions. [illegible]

JAS. R. CHILTON, M. D., Chemist.

For sale by F. SCAMMON & CO. 140 Lake st., General Wholesale Agents.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

HOUSE AND LOT FOR SALE.

FOR SALE, A NEW FRAME HOUSE, [illegible] Apply, through Post Office, to G. H. KNIGHT, or to E. G. LARNED, 16 Dearborn st.

WANTED,

BY an active young man from New York, a situation [illegible]

OPATE INDIAN, MISNOMERED THE BEAR WOMAN.

IS holding her Levee at No. 98 Randolph Street, from 9 A. M. to 9 P. M. Admittance, 25 Cents.

TIMBER LAND AT A SACRIFICE.

80 ACRES of Valuable Timber Land for sale, [illegible] D'WOLF, MACLAY & QUIMBY.

SULTANA RAISINS.—For sale by [illegible]

A LAKE ST. LOT FOR SALE.

THE LOT and BUILDING [illegible] DR. RITCHIE.

LATEST NEWS.

WE have a great assortment of FRESH TEAS [illegible] NEW YORK TEA STORE. [illegible] TEAS, COFFEES, AND SPICES.

MORFORD BROTHERS, BANKERS AND EXCHANGE BROKERS, —DEALERS IN— LAND WARRANTS, CORNER CLARK AND LAKE STS.

REMOVAL.

T. & H. SHERMAN, [illegible] SOUTH WATER ST. [illegible]

THREE THOUSAND LOTS FOR SALE, IN ELSTON & SHEFFIELD'S ADDITION TO CHICAGO

ON the fifth day of June next, [illegible]

SEVENTEEN HUNDRED LOTS IN ELSTON ADDITION. [illegible] THIRTEEN HUNDRED LOTS, IN SHEFFIELD'S ADDITION TO CHICAGO. [illegible] At Prices within the Reach of All, FOR PURCHASING LOTS, [illegible] CHICAGO LAND COMPANY. [illegible] WM. B. OGDEN, E. D. OGDEN, Land Company.

From the Boston Traveller.

Dr. Weaver's well-known medicines continue to maintain their high position in the public esteem, which fact is quite natural, if not inevitable, when their rare virtues are taken into account. His CANKER AND SALT RHEUM SYRUP is one of the best medicines ever compounded, and has been the happy medium of curing many a case of Canker, which other preparations had failed to do. His CANKER CURE AND CERATE is equally meritorious and effective. Those who have cancerous affections should understand the necessity of the right of medicines, since any other are only aids and comforts to the disease. —Boston Transcript.

LARGE ARRIVALS —OF— NEW GOODS, —AT— 142 . LAKE STREET. . 142 L. D. OLMSTED & CO., Among which will be found some of the Greatest Bargains Ever Offered in Chicago. 9 Cases Plain and Striped SILKS, AT 3s. 6d. PER YARD.

PARASOLS—50 per cent. less than the same goods have been selling for.

BONNET RIBBONS—A large and complete assortment from auction, selling at about half the usual price.

MANTILLAS—Rich and Elegant New Styles received, making our assortment complete, and at prices that defy competition.

DE LAINES—Selling by the Dress Pattern, at Package Prices.

LAWNS—At less than the usual cost to us.

LAWN ROBES—In Great Variety.

FLOUNCED BEREGE ROBES—The most Elegant Goods of the season.

TRIMMING GOODS—Of Every Description.

GUIPURE LACES—In all Colors.

EMBROIDERIES AND LACES, HOSIERY AND GLOVES, HOUSEKEEPING & HEAVY GOODS.

An examination of our Stock will convince any one, that we now offer some of the Greatest Bargains that have ever been offered in Chicago. my8

Touissant House. GEORGE CLAY, PROPRIETOR. NO. 319 CLARK STREET, Between Harrison and Polk. THIS House is entirely new, has just been opened and is pleasantly situated. [illegible]

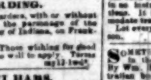
S. S. JEWETT. F. H. ROOT. JEWETT & ROOT, MANUFACTURERS AND WHOLESALE DEALERS IN STOVES, Office and Works on Mississippi street, BUFFALO, N. Y., 47 SOUTH WATER ST., CHICAGO. my14 1y

WHOLESALE STOVE STORE, ON SOUTH WATER STREET. JEWETT & ROOT, Manufacturers and Wholesale Dealers AT 47 SOUTH WATER ST., CHICAGO. OFFER to the Trade a large Stock, and a well assorted variety of COOK AND PARLOR STOVES, of their own manufacture on as favorable prices and terms as others in the Trade. A call from dealers is solicited. my14 3md

FLOWER POTS at 54 and 56 State street. H. SAYRE. my14

BALLOU'S PICTORIAL, for the week ending May 19th just received and for sale by McNALLY & CO., Agents for the Pictorial, 75 Dearborn st., north wing of the Theatre, Chicago.

GEO. T. ABBEY, MANUFACTURER AND IMPORTER OF GUNS, RIFLES, PISTOLS, ETC. 220 . . . LAKE STREET . . . 220



[illegible] Chicago, Sept. 15, 1854.

PRIVATE BOARDING. THERE are vacancies for Boarders, with or without rooms, in a private family, at the passenger depot of the Galena Railroad, corner of Indiana and Franklin street. [illegible]

25 TIERCES CINCINNATI HAMS. [illegible] ALLEN VANE.

100 BOXES TALLOW CANDLES, made to summer use, for sale by ALLEN VANE.

125 BARRELS WINTER WHEAT FLOUR, from Peoria Mills. Also, 250 Sacks, to arrive. For sale by ALLEN VANE.

CIRCUIT COURT.—SPECIAL TERM. NOTICE is HEREBY GIVEN, that a Special Term of the Circuit Court of Cook County [illegible] May 11, 1855. L. D. BOARD, Clerk.

ROBERT RAE, Attorney at Law and Proctor in Admiralty, POST OFFICE BUILDING, CHICAGO. U. S. COMMISSIONER. my17

ST. JAMES' HOSPITAL, 111 OHIO ST. THERE are convenient arrangements in this Institution, at reasonable rates, [illegible]

BAKER HOUSE, RACINE, WIS. A. BAKER, PROPRIETOR. THIS splendid House, just reopened, is situated on Main street, [illegible]

OFFICE MICHIGAN SOUTHERN AND NORTHERN INDIANA RAILROAD COMPANY, New York, May 7, 1855. NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS. MICHIGAN SOUTHERN & NORTHERN INDIANA RAILROAD COMPANY.—Sealed Proposals [illegible] JOHN B. JERVIS, Chief Engineer.

1855. C. DICKINSON & CO., Dealers (by the Cargo) in all varieties of OHIO COAL. Also, Proprietors of a line of FIRST CLASS SAIL VESSELS, running between Chicago and all ports on Lakes Huron, Erie and Ontario. Office at A. T. SPENCER & CO., Foot of State street.

TO BUILDERS. DURING the building season we shall keep a supply of the MILWAUKEE QUICK LIME [illegible] NEELY, MORLEY & NEELY. Corner South Water and Franklin streets. Chicago, May 12, 1855.

DON'T BELIEVE IT, UNLESS you can satisfy yourself that the statements made concerning the properties of C. HEIMSTREET & CO.'s INIMITABLE HAIR COLORING [illegible] Curious and Singular Phenomenon, [illegible] W. E. HAGAN, Sole Proprietor. Sold in Chicago, by [illegible]

ROCKHILL HOUSE, BY PHILO RUMSEY, CORNER BROADWAY AND MAIN STS., FORT WAYNE....IND.

UNION FOUNDRY. MITCHELL, HERRON & CO., No. 194 Liberty street, Pittsburgh. MANUFACTURE and keep always on hand, a large and well assorted stock of CASTINGS, [illegible]

DANCING ACADEMY. DANCING AND WALTZING. MR. H. R. SHAW [illegible]

EXECUTOR'S NOTICE. NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, [illegible] SMITH & SHERWOOD, Ex'rs last Will, &c., of [illegible], deceased. my11 6wd

200 HHDS. New and Choice N. O. SUGARS. [illegible] J. H. DUNHAM & CO., 154 South Water street.

BOUNTY LAND WARRANTS OBTAINED with dispatch, by A. G. WOOD, Attorney. [illegible]

ROBERTSON, COLEMAN & CO., ROCKFORD. ROBERTSON, EASTMAN & CO., DIXON, ILL. BANKERS & DEALERS in EXCHANGE, [illegible]

LANDS AND LOTS, FOR SALE AT LOW PRICES AND ON LONG TIME. [illegible]

WEST SIDE RESIDENCES FOR SALE. [illegible]

FOR LEASE. [illegible] LOTS FOR SALE ON 5 YEARS' CREDIT. [illegible] JAMES A. SPRINGER, 73 Metropolitan Block.

A. B. BATTIN & CO., PRACTICAL WORKERS —AND— JOBBERS OF FINE CUT CHEWING TOBACCO AND SNUFF, DEALERS IN CIGARS. STEAM WORKS, MARKET STREET, [illegible] CHICAGO, ILL.

WM. E. OTTO, IMPORTER & JOBBER —OF— PAPER HANGINGS, 69 - RANDOLPH ST. - 69 CHICAGO . . . . ILLS. HAS just Received a Large and SPLENDID STOCK —OF— PANNELING, CEILING & FRESCO PAPER; OAKS, MARBLES, GRANITS, SCENES, FRENCH DECORATIONS, GILT AND STONE STATUARY, GILT EMBOSSED, PARLOR PAPERS. Direct from the celebrated Manufactory of DELICORT & Co., PARIS. Also, Manufacturer of every style of PARLOR, CHURCH AND BANK WINDOW SHADES, A Large Assortment kept constantly on hand. Competent Workmen [illegible]

W. W. MITCHELL. R. M. MITCHELL. R. M. MITCHELL & CO., FORWARDING AND COMMISSION MERCH'TS, Large Fire Proof Brick Block, Nos. 193 and 194 South Water street. CHICAGO . . . . . . ILLINOIS. ☞ Cash advances made on consignments, for sale in Chicago, Buffalo, or New York. my3 1y

DAGUERREOTYPES ON PAPER, OR PHOTOGRAPHING. THE Ladies and Gentlemen of Chicago, and those who visit the city, are invited to the PHOTOGRAPHIC ROOM of Mr. WARNICK, on Randolph street, East of Dearborn, [illegible]

MONEY TO LOAN. Apply to MACLAY & QUIMBY. [illegible]

FIRE & MARINE RISKS TAKEN BY THE Chicago Mutual INSURANCE COMPANY, OFFICE, 126 SOUTH WATER ST. R. C. BRISTOL, SECRETARY. GEORGE STEEL, PRESIDENT.

FAIRBANKS' SCALES.—First Arrival of the season, [illegible] C. L. HARMON & CO.

DR. COLLINS' CHOLERA TINCTURE. HAVING used this Mixture in my practice with great success, [illegible]

SOMETHING NEW FOR BOYS.—A Boy's Adventures in Wilds of Australia, [illegible] by Wm. Howitt. [illegible]

LAMARTINE'S New History of Turkey, Volume 1 [illegible]

MY BROTHER'S KEEPER. By A. B. Warner. [illegible] D. B. COOKE & CO., 122 Lake street.

SPLENDID BOOK. THE ENGLISH WOMAN IN RUSSIA: [illegible]

HOMES FOR THE PEOPLE.—Wheeler's new book. [illegible] D. B. COOKE & CO., Wholesale Booksellers.

MORLEY HOUSE, No. 61 KINZIE ST., Between CLARK and DEARBORN STS. ROBERT MORLEY, - - Proprietor. Late of Hamilton Boarding House. CHICAGO . . . . . ILLINOIS.

DENTAL SURGERY. W. W. ALLPORT, D. D. S., Graduate of the New York Dental College, [illegible] Office and residence, No. 73 Clark street, opposite the Court House.

WILLOW WAGONS, CRADLES AND WOODENWARE, For sale at Wholesale or Retail, at 217 Lake street. H. BURTON.

SPRING TRADE. Hunt, Wiggins & Co. WHOLESALE DEALERS IN READY-MADE CLOTHING —AT— 130 . . . SOUTH WATER STREET . . . 130 Up Stairs. OUR GOODS are superior in Style, Workmanship, Finish, and will be sold upon reasonable terms. Chicago, Feb. 28, 1855.

PIANO FORTES. FIRTH, POND & CO.'S make. Took premium at Crystal Palace. H. G. GREENE, 98 Lake street.

COMBS, FANS & FANCY GOODS. WILLIAM TASKER, 10 PARK PLACE, NEW YORK. INVITES the attention of [illegible]

D. ABBEY & CO., 82 - NORTH WATER STREET. - 82 HAVE THIS DAY, received from Schooner "Hamlet," 100,000 GALS. STONEWARE AND BEER BOTTLES, And are prepared to supply New Customers.

STORR'S COUGH CANDY.—Fresh lot just received, [illegible]

PIANO FORTES. CHICKERING & SON'S make, [illegible] H. G. GREENE, 98 Lake street.

MOULDINGS! MOULDINGS! MOULDINGS! OF EVERY VARIETY, FOR SALE AT GOLDIE'S SASH FACTORY, Near the Gas Works, Monroe st., CHICAGO . . . ILLINOIS.

DISSOLUTION. THE Copartnership [illegible] Chicago, April 30th, 1855. ANDREW W. GRANNIS, JOHN WELCH.

SUGARS. 300 HHDS. Prime N. O. [illegible] For sale by E. HEMPSTEAD, 120 South Water st.

WINDOW GLASS.—[illegible] ALEX WHITE, 112 South Water street.

WHITE LEAD.—[illegible] ALEX WHITE.

SELLING OFF AT COST!! We will shortly REMOVE to 96 - - - LAKE ST. - - - 96 And will sell our Immense Stock —OF— WATCHES, JEWELRY & SILVER WARE AT NEW YORK PRIME COST, For a few days. THOMPSON & JOHNSON, ONLY OPPOSITION STORE, 125 Clark street.

DISSOLUTION. NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, that the Partnership [illegible]

J. D. WOODWARD & CO., REAL ESTATE BROKER, Over the New Post office. NO. 90 DEARBORN ST., OFFER for sale and in good titles: [illegible]

WM. H. CALVERT, JR., Manufacturer and Dealer in HATS, CAPS, AND STRAW GOODS, No. 30 DEARBORN ST., opposite Tremont House, WOULD respectfully call the attention of the citizens of Chicago and vicinity, [illegible]

J. E. BOYD, SURVEYOR AND CIVIL ENGINEER, At the Office of J. B. F. RUSSELL & CO., 54 Randolph street.

200 BBLS Prime Plantation MOLASSES, landing, and for sale at 123 South Water st. AVERY, UPHAM & MILLER.

200 BAGS choice RIO COFFEE, just received [illegible] AVERY, UPHAM & MILLER.

50 HHDS CLARIFIED SUGAR, landing at 123 South Water street, by AVERY, UPHAM & MILLER.

50 BBLS "Belcher's" N. and GOLDEN SYRUP, received, and for sale at 123 South Water st., by AVERY, UPHAM & MILLER.

300 DRUMS Prime Fresh FIGS, just received, and for sale at 123 South Water st., by AVERY, UPHAM & MILLER.

200 BOXES "St Louis" PALM SOAP, landing and for sale at 123 South Water st., by AVERY, UPHAM & MILLER.

100 HALVES No. 1 TROUT, prime article, in store, at 123 South Water st., and for sale by AVERY, UPHAM & MILLER.

1,000 KEGS Assorted Sizes NAILS, a strictly first rate article, just landed at 123 South Water street, and for sale by AVERY, UPHAM & MILLER.

Office of the Galena and Chicago Union Railroad Company, Chicago, May 12, 1855. ANNUAL MEETING. NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN to the Stockholders of the Galena and Chicago Union Railroad Company, that the Annual Meeting [illegible] WM. LARRABEE, Secretary.

BANKING AND EXCHANGE OFFICE —OF— G. C. WHITNEY & SON, 63 . . . . CLARK ST. . . . . 63 (Formerly occupied by Union Bank.) Eastern and Foreign Exchange, [illegible]

MAYHEW'S PEASANT BOY PHILOSOPHER.—[illegible] D. B. COOKE & CO., 122 Lake street.

THE COUNTRY NEIGHBORHOOD. A novel. [illegible] D. B. COOKE & CO.

LADY BLESSINGTON'S MEMOIRS.—[illegible] D. B. COOKE & CO.

ELLIOT'S AMERICAN FRUIT GROWER'S GUIDE in Orchard and Garden; [illegible] D. B. COOKE & CO.

6,000 CEDAR POSTS, for sale by STARKS & BUTLER, North end Wells street Bridge.

THREE STEAM BOILERS, [illegible]

THOS. BOWN & CO., GILDING AND LOOKING GLASS ESTABLISHMENT, 148 LAKE STREET, 2nd Story. Mirrors, Engravings & Picture Frames, [illegible] 18 . . . . EAST FOURTH ST. 18

INDIA RUBBER GOODS of all kinds, at the INDIA RUBBER WAREHOUSE, [illegible]

VALUABLE LAKE ST. LOT FOR SALE. WE are instructed to offer for sale, [illegible] HORNER & ORONE, 135 Clark street.

Just Received, AT T. B. CARTER & CO'S, 130 . . . . . LAKE ST. . . . . 130 AN ASSORTMENT OF NEW GOODS, Of latest styles, including elegant EMBROIDERIES, SILKS, FRENCH PRINTS, ALEXANDER'S GLOVES.

A few good clothes put on with small ads. Purchase your horse saga and your kindred the [illegible]

THOMAS SPEER, 73 . . . . . LAKE ST. . . . . 73 INFORMS his old friends and customers and the rest of mankind, [illegible] Cloths, Cassimeres, Linen Goods & Vestings, [illegible] SEEING WILL BE BELIEVING. [illegible] Gentlemen's Furnishing Goods, [illegible] ☞ Remember the place, 73 . . . . LAKE ST. . . . . THOMAS SPEER.

NOTICE. THE ANNUAL MEETING of the Stockholders in the Central Military Tract Railroad Company, [illegible] Galesburg, May 7, 1855.

REMOVAL. WEBB & WELLS have removed their Forwarding and Commission Office from the corner of Clark and Water street, [illegible]

SAFETY FUSE. 200,000 FEET SAFETY FUSE for sale by D. BATON & Co. 23 Lake st.

NOTICE. WM. F. D'WOLF, of the late firm of J. B. F. Russell & Co., [illegible] WM. F. D'WOLF, JAS. G. MACLAY, BENJ. T. QUIMBY. D'WOLF, MACLAY & QUIMBY. REAL ESTATE AND STOCK BROKERS, COLLECTION AND TAX AGENTS. NO. 26 RANDOLPH St. (2nd floor.) Chicago, Illinois.

BILLIARD TABLES. WE WOULD inform the citizens of Chicago and the public in general, that we have opened a Branch Warehouse, 269 Clark street, [illegible]

At Munson & Bradley's, 61 Lake street. OUR WORLD! THE GREAT ANTI-SLAVERY ROMANCE. A vividly writ and effective Novel. [illegible] DURING the few days that this remarkable work has been before the public, [illegible] MUNSON & BRADLEY, 61 Lake street.

CHICAGO WATER WORKS. NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, [illegible] HENRY TUCKER, Secretary.

M'FARLANE & HUTCHESON, PLUMBERS AND GASFITTERS, [illegible]

SALES BY AUCTION. GRUBB & WILLMARTH, AUCTION, COMMISSION & WHOLESALE MERCHANTS, 204 . . . . . LAKE STREET . . . . . 204 Fire Proof Four Story Building. ARE prepared to receive for Public or Private Sale Merchandise of every description, [illegible] GRUBB & WILLMARTH, Auctioneers.

JAMES A. MARSHALL & CO., AUCTION & COMMISSION MERCHANT LOTS, LANDS, GOODS, VESSELS, STOCK No. 16 Dearborn Street, Chicago. [illegible]

CLEVERVILLE PROPERTY.—[illegible] J. A. MARSHALL & CO., Auctioneers.

WALL PAPER AND PAINTINGS at Auction. [illegible] JAMES A. MARSHALL & CO., Auctioneers.

$5,000 WORTH of Shelf Hardware, [illegible]

WURTS, HATCH & CO., 22 DEARBORN STREET, - - - CHICAGO, GENERAL AUCTION & COMMISSION MERCHANTS, And Real Estate Agents. WE are now prepared to receive consignments of all descriptions, [illegible] REAL ESTATE.—We will sell on the premises, [illegible] WURTS, HATCH & CO.

JOHN RANKIN General Auction and Commission Merchant AND WHOLESALE DEALER IN Yankee Notions, Cutlery, Britannia and Plated Ware, [illegible] 174 RANDOLPH ST., Southwest Cor. of Wells CHICAGO . . . . . ILLINOIS.

L. A. LEVY, JR., & CO., AUCTIONEERS AND COMMISSION MERCHANTS, FIREPROOF MARBLE BUILDINGS, No. 13 Lasalle street, [illegible] Merchandise, Furniture, Real Estate, &c.

CITY AUCTION ROOMS. H. C. FOSTER, 150 . . . . LAKE STREET. WILL attend to all Sales of Real Estate, [illegible]

M. CARPENTER & CO., Auction and Commission Merchants, No. 10 Main street, West Rockford, Ills. [illegible]

WANTS.

SITUATION WANTED. A PERSON, a young man who has had several years experience at book-keeping, [illegible]

ETHIOPEAN MINSTRELS WANTED. A GOOD BASS VIOL PLAYER [illegible]

A THOROUGH PRACTICAL BOOK KEEPER [illegible]

WANTED. A SITUATION, by a young Dutch Knopo. [illegible]

SITUATION WANTED. AN UNMARRIED MAN, [illegible]

MICHIGAN OR WABASH AVENUE [illegible]

SITUATION WANTED. A PERSON Twenty One years of age, [illegible]

5,000 WANTED.—[illegible]

WANTED. THE use of a Ten Horse Power Engine, [illegible]

WANTED. FURNISHED ROOM and Board, [illegible]

WANTED. A SEAMSTRESS, who is willing to go into the country, [illegible]

DRUG CLERK WANTED. ONE acquainted with the Wholesale Business, [illegible] F. SCAMMON & CO., 140 Lake street.

A FEW DAY BOARDERS [illegible]

CARPENTERS AND JOINERS. WANTED, from ten to fifteen Carpenters and Joiners. [illegible] DAVID GOODWILLIE, Corner of Canal and Jackson sts.

$30,000 WANTED. FOR a Term of 3 or 4 years, [illegible]

WANTED. BOARD in some respectable private family, [illegible]

WANTED.—A Partner, [illegible]

AGENTS WANTED. TO travel through the State to sell [illegible] RUFUS BLANCHARD.

A BUSINESS MAN, [illegible]

CHANGE OF TIME. BURLINGTON RAILROAD LINE. [illegible] C. G. HAMMOND, Sup't.

POWDER! POWDER! POWDER!!! 100 KEGS Sporting and Blasting Powder [illegible]

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AT PRIME COST. CHILDREN'S CLOTHING. THE subscriber, wishing to dispose of the entire stock of CHILDREN'S CLOTHING, At New York cost, for Cash. Cloth, Drap De Ete, Tweed, Jean and Linen Suits, All sizes, from four to ten years old, Cloth Jackets, Embroidered Marine Jackets AND SUITS, &c. [illegible]

Britannia Ware, TIN, JAPAN, AND HARD WARE TABLE Cutlery, and Silver Plated Ware, For sale at the House Furnishing Depot, 217 Lake street. H. BURTON.

House Keepers, TAKE NOTICE. REFRIGERATORS! The best article in the City. Can be had at the House Furnishing Depot, 217 Lake street. H. BURTON.

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BOOTS & SHOES PEARSON & DANA, HAVING PURCHASED the Stock and Stand [illegible] 104 LAKE STREET. [illegible]

AMUSEMENTS.

THEATRE.

STAGE MANAGER . . . . W. M'FARLAND.

Second week of the engagement of the eminent Tragedian, MR. JAMES M. ANDERSON.

This evening, the entertainment will commence with INGOMAR; or, The Power of Love. Ingomar, Mr Anderson; Parthenia, Mrs Woodbury

Overture by . . . . The Orchestra.

To conclude with the laughable farce, entitled The ILLUSTRIOUS STRANGER. [illegible]

[illegible] F. MARSHALL, Treasurer.

METROPOLITAN ATHENEUM.

MONDAY, MAY 14TH. FOURTH NIGHT OF Mrs. Macready, Who will appear in SEVERAL FAVORITE CHARACTERS. MR. HOLYOKE Will also read some of his scenes from Dickens. Song . . . . . . by . . . . . . Mrs. MARSHAL MISS LAVINIA PIKE Will also make her 2d appearance in a FANCY DANCE! MR. C. H. FOX, The celebrated Irish delineator, from New York, will make his first appearance. Interspersed with appropriate Music by the . . . . . Full Orchestra.

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THE CAMPBELLS ARE COMING, —AT— NORTH MARKET HALL, ON MONDAY, MAY 28TH. BRYANT, PRENDERGAST AND NEWCOMB'S original CAMPBELL MINSTRELS [illegible]

T. B. PRENDERGAST,	DAN. BRYANT,
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FREE LECTURES —ON— Phrenology, Physiognomy and Physiology.

PROFESSOR PALMER has been engaged by the CHICAGO PHRENOLOGICAL SOCIETY to deliver TEN FREE LECTURES, On the above subjects, at WARNER'S HALL. To commence on FRIDAY, May 11th, and to continue each [illegible]

GLORIOUS NEWS. MONSIEUR VICTOR, Pyrotechnist and Balloonist: from Paris, MOST respectfully informs the citizens of Chicago, that he will amuse with his inimitable display of FIREWORKS, [illegible] UNION HIPPODROME [illegible] FIRE WORKS. To conclude with a grand BALLOON ASCENSION, On Wednesday, 16th inst., at Dearborn Park. [illegible]

MECHANICS' NOTICE. THE CHICAGO MECHANICS' INSTITUTE [illegible] S. D. CHILDS, Secretary of Board.

INDEPENDENT ORDER OF GOOD TEMPLARS. STAR OF HOPE LODGE, [illegible]

TEMPLE OF HONOR. RADIANT TEMPLE No. 2, [illegible] CHICAGO DEGREE TEMPLE, [illegible] D. L. JOHNSON, W. R.

MISS C. RYERSON'S DANCING AND WALTZING CLASS [illegible]

IN TIME OF PEACE PREPARE FOR WAR. ATTENTION, NATIONAL GUARD. [illegible] Capt. THOMAS SHIRLEY.

TO RENT OR LEASE.

TO LET. A NEW AND COMMODIOUS TWO STORY FRAME HOUSE, [illegible] A. C. STEWART & SON.

HOUSE AND FURNITURE TO RENT. TO A Family without Young Children, [illegible] E. C. LARNED, 16 Dearborn street.

FINE HALL TO LET. THE HALL in Metropolitan Block, [illegible]

TO RENT. A VERY FINE HOUSE, situated on Indiana Avenue, [illegible]

TO RENT. A WATER LOT on South Branch, [illegible] SETH WADHAMS, 72 Wells st.

TO RENT. HOUSE [illegible] C. Walker & Co.

ROOMS TO RENT, with STEAM POWER. FIVE ROOMS on Lake street, [illegible] WALWORTH & CO., 123 Lake street.

TO RENT. A GOOD DWELLING HOUSE, with Garden and Barn, [illegible]

TO RENT. ON SOUTH WATER STREET, First Loft, [illegible]

TO RENT. [illegible]

FOR RENT. A STORE and several Offices, on Clark street, [illegible]

HOUSE TO RENT. THE COTTAGE HOUSE, [illegible] HOLBROOK & CO.

LUMBER YARD TO LEASE. A VALUABLE YARD to Lease, [illegible] WILCOX, LYON & CO.

FOR RENT. A OFFICE in the best building in the city. [illegible] R. A. PATTERSON, 66 Randolph street.

FOR RENT. THE Second Story of No. 56 Lake street, [illegible]

LEASE OF HOUSE in Michigan Avenue [illegible]

PIANO FORTES TO LET.—[illegible] R. M. MOHAN, 98 Lake street.

COLTON'S MAPS, THE BEST IN THE WORLD, AND SOLD AT New York Catalogue PRICES, TO THE TRADE, BY THE AGENT, RUFUS BLANCHARD, 52 - - - LA SALLE STREET. - - - 52 CHICAGO, ILL.

N. B.—THE BOOK AGENT is wanted for the State of Wisconsin [illegible] RUFUS BLANCHARD.

VIENNA CONFERENCE BROKEN UP. A NEW PLAN —OF— SIEGE OF SEVASTOPOL. For sale by RUFUS BLANCHARD, [illegible] ☞ AGENTS WANTED.

DAILY TRIBUNE.

CITY OF CHICAGO.

LOCAL MATTERS.

Board of Health—Quarantine.

The Board of Health met on Saturday afternoon.

Dr. McVickar offered the following resolution, which was adopted:

Resolved, That the Common Council be requested to so amend Sec. 13 of the Quarantine Ordinance passed July 3, 1854, as to authorize the establishment of Quarantine by the Mayor and Board of Health, if it may be deemed necessary for the sanitary interests of the city so to do; and also to amend Sec. 14, by striking out the words "two thousand," and inserting twenty-five thousand," and Sec. 5, by inserting one hundred dollars in place of five hundred.

The following persons were appointed ward officers of the Board of Health:

1st Ward,	Orrington Lunt.
2nd "	B. F. Downing.
3rd "	W. B. H. Gray.
4th "	E. H. Aiken.
5th "	H. Demary.
6th "	P. Jerttee.
7th "	J. C. Garland.
8th "	F. M. Deman.
9th "	W. L. Felton.

U. S. CIRCUIT COURT.

Special Term—Judge Drummond presiding.

Wright vs Allen—ejectment. This case, which involves the title to 240 acres of land in the city, and as many more in the immediate vicinity, will be taken up for trial this morning, (May 14th.) This property was sold under an execution purporting to be issued from the Municipal Court of the City of Chicago in 1839, after the said court had been abolished by act of the Legislature. The defendant derives title to the land through the sheriff, and under said sale. The plaintiff derives title by a conveyance from the patentee, and claims that said execution being issued without authority of law, is void, and brings this action to recover possession. The same question, to wit: (the validity of this execution) arose in the case of Newkirk vs. Chapron, tried in the Cook County Court of Common Pleas at the last September term, and was there decided in favor of its own validity. In view of the great amount of property at stake, this is a case of much interest, and will probably call out the legal skill and ability of the counsel for the respective parties. John E. Cone for plaintiff, and Arnold & Manierre for defendant. Dr. A. B. Newkirk of his city and Charles T. Wright of Racine are the owners under the patent title of the whole of this property.

Beef Cattle.

Owing to the high price of beef cattle in the New York market, large droves of Beeves are passing through this city and being shipped east. During the 24 hours ending Saturday at 9 P. M., 27 car loads arrived at the Galena Depot, which at 14 per car would be 358 head. Some 450 or 500 it is supposed will be shipped east from here to-day. In addition to these, large numbers are passing east across the country to the south of this city. The high price in the east, will affect the market here for weeks to come. A drove of 55 head of No. 1 cattle are now grazing at Brighton, 5 miles south west of the city, for sale to the city butchers.

POLICE COURT—Justice Milliken.

Chicago, Friday, May 11, 1855.

James M. Monald, keeping open bar on Sunday, fined $10.

Michael M. Namara, robbery, bound over in $300.

Charles H. Holden, drunk, fined $2.

Nicholas Nab, drunk and disorderly, fined $5.

Nervous Short, driving fast on a bridge, fined $5.

Patrick Neer, larceny, bound over in $100.

Patrick McCarty, obtaining goods on false pretences, bound over in the sum of $300.

Cornelius Cayney, drunk and disorderly, fined $2.

William McLaughlin, running a hack without rates of fare, fined $10.

Saturday, May 12, 1855.

Fanny Eltze, Melissa Wallace, Ellen Bailey, Deborah Kesler, Ruth Thomas alias Ruth Ross, Elizabeth Oaks, Ellen Grant, —— Watson, Charles Earnest, D. Camp, Charles Stockwell, N. F. Osted, Wm. McGrow, Wm. Graham, Cornelius Dexter, Sprvian Walker, Frank Taylor, Jenny King, for being inmates of or found in a house of ill fame, fined $25 each, in all $450.

Maria Lewis, same, fined $15.

Ashley Lamont and Maria Jones, keepers of said houses, fined $75 each, making $150.

Wm. Hamilton, an inmate, fined $10.

David L. Johnson, ditto, fined $20.

Total amount $645.

Metropolitan Atheneum.

The bill for this evening presents a rare combination of talent, and we trust the effort made by the managers to furnish our citizens with rational and elevating amusements will meet with deserved success.

The readings of Mr. Holyoke are spoken of in terms of high commendation by those who listened to him last Wednesday evening. Mr. H. is a gentleman of taste and culture, and his readings evince a fine appreciation of the author's thought. He reads to-night from Dickens, and we anticipate much from his happy conception of his characters.

BEAR WOMAN.—We paid a visit to this remarkable creature, now on exhibition in this city. She is represented as belonging to a tribe of beings called the Opates, which inhabits the Sierra Madre mountains in the state of Sinaloa, adjoining California, in Mexico. They live in a naked state in caves, and subsist on roots, insects, barks of trees, &c. Their features bear so close a resemblance to those of a bear and ourang-outang that many believe them to be real hybrids, which opinion is sustained by the written testimony of the celebrated anatomist and surgeons Dr. A. B. Mott of New York and Dr. Warren Stone of New Orleans. The former pronounces her a "hybrid, wherein the nature of woman predominates over the brute." But doctors will disagree, and it is probable some anatomist may be found in this city, who will dissent from the above dictum of the eminent New Yorker.

We found the creature, Julia Pastrana to be about four feet six inches, in height, with arms, hands, and feet well formed. Her mouth is elongated with very thick double lips, having no upper teeth in front. Her face is covered with a thin, coarse, black beard, giving her head very much the appearance of that of a bear. Her disposition is mild and affable and she has considerable intellect. She converses fluently and intelligently in Spanish, and has some knowledge of English. She has learnt some of the lighter female accomplishments, and has progressed so far as to be able to do any kind of sewing, and to attend to the arrangements of her room. We were surprised to hear her sing, a very pretty little Spanish song. Altogether she is a curiosity that's worth one's while to go and see.

TO THE LADIES.—Do not fail to call on Mrs. Wyman Fowler at 94 Lake st, over Wormley's Millinery Store, and examine their new French style of cutting and fitting ladies dresses. Many ladies of the city have learned it and expressed themselves highly pleased with it. They have also some elegant specimens of ladies and children's clothing. Call early as their stay is short in this city.

Stoves at Wholesale.

We direct attention this morning to the advertisement of Jewett & Root, manufacturers and wholesale dealers in stoves, Buffalo, New York, and 47 South Water street, Chicago. This house is a very extensive one, and, without certainly wealthy. They have the reputation of doing the largest business in the stove line in the West.

NEW PUBLICATIONS.

DICTIONARY OF SHAKSPERIAN QUOTATIONS.—[illegible]

A sufficiently long title, certainly, but one very expressive of the contents of the book. The author's name is not given, but he need not have withheld it, for he has done his work well. The book is very neatly bound and is illustrated by an exquisitely beautiful full length portrait of the Bard of Avon.

H. C. Foster, corner of Lake and La Salle streets, has it for sale.

THE CALCULATOR'S CONSTANT COMPANION, [illegible]

Labor saving machinery is a leading feature in the present age; and economy in mental labor is as desirable as in physical labor. The tables here published, which are the result of the pure calculations, will be found of great use to all who have calculations to make. The name of the author is a sufficient guarantee of their correctness.

For sale at Foster's Book Store, as above.

Theatre.

Mr Anderson will appear to night as "Ingomar, the Barbarian."

OHIO STATE FAIR.—The Ohio State Board of Agriculture have decided to hold the next annual fair at Columbus, on the 18th, 19th, 20th, and 21st days of September.

THE CHURCHES AND [illegible]

Associate Reformed [illegible]

REV. [illegible]

The First United Presbyterian Church of the [illegible] situated at the corner of [illegible] streets, in the West Division, a building, 40 by 60 feet, [illegible] for five hundred [illegible]

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G. C. WHITNEY & SON,
CLARK ST.
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D. B. COOKE & CO.

THE COUNTRY NEIGHBORHOOD. [illegible]
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LADY BLESSINGTON'S MEMOIRS. [illegible]
D. B. COOKE & CO.

ELLIOTT'S AMERICAN FRUIT GROWER'S GUIDE [illegible]
D. B. COOKE & CO.

6,000 CEDAR POSTS, for sale by [illegible]

THREE STEAM BOILERS [illegible]

THOS. BOWN & CO.
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VIENNA CONFERENCE BROKEN UP.
A NEW PLAN
—OF THE—
SIEGE OF SEVASTOPOL.
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RUFUS BLANCHARD.

DAILY TRIBUNE.

CITY OF CHICAGO.

LOCAL MATTERS.

Board of Health—Quarantine.

The Board of Health met on Saturday afternoon.

Dr. McVicker offered the following resolution, which was adopted:

Resolved, That the Common Council be requested to so amend Sec. 13 of the Quarantine Ordinance passed July 3, 1854, as to authorize the establishment of Quarantine by the Mayor and Board of Health, if it may be deemed necessary for the sanitary interests of the city so to do; and also to amend Sec. 14, by striking out the words "two thousand," and inserting twenty-five thousand," and Sec. 8, by inserting one hundred dollars in place of five hundred.

The following persons were appointed ward officers of the Board of Health:

1st Ward,	Orrington Lunt.
2nd. "	B. F. Downing.
3rd. "	W. B. H. Gray.
4th. "	R. H. Aiken.
5th. "	H. Demary.
6th. "	P. Jertice.
7th. "	J. C. Garland.
8th. "	F. M. Benson.
9th. "	W. L. Felton.

U. S. CIRCUIT COURT.

Special Term—Judge Drummond presiding.

Wright vs. Allen—ejectment. This case, which involves the title to 240 acres of land in the city, and as many more in the immediate vicinity, will be taken up for trial this morning, (May 14th.) This property was sold under an execution purporting to be issued from the Municipal Court of the City of Chicago in 1839, after the said court had been abolished by act of the Legislature.—The defendant derives title to the land through the sheriff, and under said sale. The plaintiff derives title by a conveyance from the patentee, and claims that said execution being issued without authority of law, is void, and brings this action to recover possession. The same question, to wit: (the validity of this execution) arose in the case of Newkirk vs. Chapron, tried in the Cook County Court of Common Pleas at the last September term, and was there decided in favor of its own validity. In view of the great amount of property at stake, this is a case of much interest, and will probably call out the legal skill and ability of the counsel for the respective parties. John E. Cone for plaintiff, and Arnold & Manierre for defendant. Dr. A. B. Newkirk of his city and Charles T. Wright of Racine are he owners under the patent title of the whole of this property.

Beef Cattle.

Owing to the high price of beef cattle in the New York market, large droves of Beeves are passing through this city and being shipped east. During the 24 hours ending Saturday at 3 P. M., 27 car loads arrived at the Galena Depot, which at 14 per car would be 558 head. Some 450 or 500 it is supposed will be shipped east from here to-day. In addition to these, large numbers are passing east across the country to the south of this city. The high price in the east, will affect the market here for weeks to come. A drove of 55 head of No. 1 cattle are now grazing at Brighton, 5 miles south-west of this city, "for sale to the city butchers.

POLICE COURT—Justice Milliken.

Chicago, Friday, May 11, 1855.

James M. Monald, keeping open bar on Sunday, fined $10.

Michael M. Namara, robbery, bound over in $300.

Charles H. Holden, drunk, fined $2.

Nicholas Nab, drunk and disorderly, fined $5.

Nervous Short, driving fast on a bridge, fined $5.

Patrick Neer, laceny, bound over in $100.

Patrick McCarty, obtaining goods on false pretences, bound over in the sum of $300.

Cornelius Cayney, drunk and disorderly, fined $2.

William McLanghlin, running a hack without rates of fare, fined $10.

Saturday, May 12, 1855.

Fanny Eltze, Melissa Wallace, Ellen Bailey, Deborah Keeler, Ruth Thomas alias Ruth Rose, Elizabeth Oaks, Ellen Grant, ——— Watson, Charles Earnest, D. Camp, Charles Stockwell, N. F. Osted, Wm. McGraw, Wm. Graham, Cornelius Dexter, Sgrvian Walker, Frank Taylor, Jenny King, for being inmates of or found in a house of ill fame, fined $25 each, in all $450.

Maria Lewis, same, fined $15.

Ashley Lamont and Maria Jones, keepers of said houses, fined $75 each, making $150.

Wm. Hamilton, an inmate, fined $10.

David L. Johnson, ditto, fined $20.

Total amount $645.

Metropolitan Athenæum.

The bill for this evening presents a rare combination of talent, and we trust the effort made by the managers to furnish our citizens with rational and elevating amusements will meet with deserved success.

The readings of Mr. Holyoke are spoken of in terms of high commendation by those who listened to him last Wednesday evening. Mr. H. is a gentleman of taste and culture, and his readings evince a fine appreciation of the author's thought. He reads to-night from Dickens, and we anticipate much from his happy conception of his characters.

BEAR WOMAN.—We paid a visit to this remarkable creature, now on exhibition in this city. She is represented as belonging to a tribe of beings called the Opates, which inhabits the Sierra Madre mountains in the state of Sinaloa, adjoining California, in Mexico. They live in a naked state in caves, and subsist on roots, insects, barks of trees, &c. Their features bear so close a resemblance to those of a bear and ourang-outang that many believe them to be real hybrids, which opinion is sustained by the written testimony of the celebrated anatomists and surgeons Dr. A. B. Mott of New York and Dr. Warren Stone of New Orleans. The former pronounces her a "hybrid, wherein the nature of woman predominates over the brute." But doctors will disagree, and it is probable some anatomist may be found in this city, who will dissent from the above dictum of the eminent New Yorker.

We found the creature, Julia Pastrana to be about four feet six inches in height, with arms, hands, and feet well formed. Her mouth is elongated with very thick double lips, having no upper teeth in front. Her face is covered with a thick, coarse, black beard, giving her head very much the appearance of that of a bear. Her disposition is mild and affable and she has considerable intellect. She converses fluently and intelligently in Spanish, and has some knowledge of English. She has learnt some of the lighter female accomplishments, and has progressed so far as to be able to do any kind of sewing, and to attend to the arrangements of her room. We were surprised to hear her sing, a very pretty little Spanish song. Altogether she is a curiosity that's worth one's while to go and see.

TO THE LADIES.—Do not fail to call on Mrs. Wyman Fowler at 64 Lake st, over Warnsley's Millinery Store, and examine their new French style of cutting and fitting ladies dresses. Many ladies of the city have learned it and express themselves highly pleased with it. They have also some elegant specimens of ladies and children's clothing. Call early as their stay is short in this city.

Stoves at Wholesale.

We direct attention this morning to the advertisement of JEWETT & ROOT, manufacturers and wholesale dealers in stoves, Buffalo, New York, and 47 South Water street, Chicago. This house is a very extensive one, and withal extremely wealthy. They have the reputation of doing the largest business in the stove line in the West.

NEW PUBLICATIONS.

DICTIONARY OF SHAKSPERIAN QUOTATIONS.—[illegible]

A sufficiently long title, certainly, but not very expressive of the contents of the book. The author's name is not given, but he need not have withheld it, for he has done his work well.

The book is very neatly bound and is illustrated by an exquisitely beautiful full length portrait of the Bard of Avon.

H. C. Foster, corner of Lake and La Salle streets, has it for sale.

THE CALCULATOR'S CONSTANT COMPANION, [illegible]

Labor saving machinery is a leading feature in the present age; and economy in mental labor is as desirable as in physical labor. The tables here published, which are the result of 100,000 calculations, will be found of great use to all who have calculations to make. The name of the author is a sufficient guarantee of their correctness.

For sale at Foster's Book Store, as above.

Theatre.

Mr. Anderson will appear to night as "Ingomar, the Barbarian."

OHIO STATE FAIR.—The Ohio State Board of Agriculture have decided to hold the next annual fair at Columbus, on the 18th, 19th, 20th, and 21st days of September.

THE CHURCHES AND CLERGY OF CHICAGO.

NO. 10.

Associate Reformed Presbyterian Church.

REV. ARCHIBALD NESBIT, PASTOR.

The First United, or Associate Reformed Presbyterian Church of the City of Chicago, is situated at the corner of Washington and Jefferson streets, in the West Division. It is a neat frame building, 40 by 60 feet, containing accommodations for five hundred persons.

The congregation was organized in February, 1853, and is under the ecclesiastical jurisdiction of the Associate Reformed Presbyterian Synod of Illinois, subordinate to the General Associate Reformed Presbyterian Synod of the West. It numbers 156 members, who are admitted to communion upon professing adherence to the Scriptures of the old and new Testaments, as interpreted by the Westminster Confession of Faith, the larger and shorter Catechism, and the Constitution of the Associate Reformed Presbyterian Church.

Service are held at half past ten in the morning, and at three in the afternoon. In addition to these, there is a Sabbath school superintended by the elders and other office bearers of the Church, between the services. There is also a prayer meeting every Wednesday evening, besides a Bible class for young females on Sabbath evenings.

The congregation is chiefly composed of mechanics and operatives from Scotland. Having been a short time in this country, their limited means have prevented them from erecting such an edifice as might have been desired in a city like Chicago. Nor would they indeed have succeeded as they have done, but for the well known Christian liberality of Sylvester Lind, Esq., and who for the aid which he has afforded them, is entitled to the respect and gratitude of his countrymen in this locality.

The labors of the Pastor consist in preaching twice every Sabbath, lecturing every Wednesday evening, teaching the Bible classes above named, and visiting regularly the members of the Church at their houses.

The office bearers of the Church are as follows: Rev. ARCHIBALD NESBIT, Pastor.

Thomas McAlla, and Wm. Goldie, Elders.

Solomom W. Kuhan, James Gardiner, John McArchar, Wm. McLaun, Wm. Davidson, Thos. Wallace, and Sylvester Lind; Trustees.

James Forsyth, Secretary.

The Rev. ARCHIBALD NESBIT, the Pastor of the Congregation, is a native of Scotland, and was educated at the University of Glasgow.—After studying Theology under different Professors, one of whom was the celebrated Dr. Chalmers, he was regularly ordained minister of a chapel in connection with the established Church of Scotland, and continued to officiate in that charge for twenty-two years.

Shortly after his arrival in this country, he connected himself with the Associate Reformed Presbyterian Church, and settled, first in Green county Ohio, and afterwards in this city.

Our first impressions of Mr. Nesbit as a public speaker, were of the most favorable kind. We heard him speak at the festival of the St. Andrews Society, in response to the toast, "The Land we left behind us," and we certainly thought we had never heard a more eloquent after dinner speech.

We have since read one of his published sermons; and we find it to bear the same marks of thorough education, of profound thought, of solid argument, and of enlarged and liberal views; chastened withal, by a deep and realizing sense of the author's accountability to his Heavenly master for all that he says.

Finally, we have heard him preach; and while in the matter of his discourse we found much to admire, we are sorry to say we cannot say a word in praise of his pulpit delivery. The fault to which we allude, and which relates to his enunciation alone, appears to be confined to the pulpit. It does not exist in his conversation; and his speech on the festive occasion to which we have alluded, was entirely free from it. Why it is that he thinks it necessary to mar the effect of his really good sermons by delivering them in this peculiar manner, is to us a mystery profound.

We conclude our article by an extract from a sermon, upon the "Salvation of Israel," preached by Mr. Nesbit, at Xenia, Ohio, before the General Associate Reformed Presbyterian Synod of the West:

Once more, I observe that the effect to which I refer, (the final conversion of the world through the instrumentality of converted Israel,) will be produced not only by the condition in which the world will be placed; not only by the admiration and astonishment, which the Divine interposition in behalf of Israel will cause among the nations of the earth; but also, and in an especial manner, by the undeniable testimony which the revival of Israel will furnish to the truth of divine revelation. The past and present state of Israel, indeed, is a standing and indestructible monument of this effect. Predictions uttered concerning that people, during a series of ages past and gone, have been accomplished, and are at this moment being accomplished, in the most minute particular, and thus give ample proof to the immutability of the Divine word. How much more conspicuously will this appear when their revival shall take place—when after their protracted unbelief they shall submit to Messiah the King—when after their long exile from the land of their inheritance, they shall again rejoice in its fertility and beauty! Nations, heathen and Christian, must stand amazed at the spectacle, and unitedly confess that this is the doing of the Lord, while marvellously confirming the faith, and establishing the confidence of the righteous in all lands. This extraordinary event will at once silence the tongue of the infidel, and the taunt of the sceptic. And in what way? Because it will show that the word spoken by Moses concerning that people, nearly four thousand years ago, has, notwithstanding numberless obstacles, been fulfilled, and consequently, as no human foresight could by any calculation have foreseen such a consummation, that he, and all succeeding prophets, spake as they were moved by the Holy Ghost. The inference from all this is plain and obvious. The Bible, where these predictions are contained, is the Word of God confirmed by providence acting as his minister; and accordingly, the book, though like the sun in the firmament, frequently darkened for a time by the passing cloud, assailed by the attack of a malignant infidelity, must continue to shine in the moral and spiritual firmament of the new creation, until it gives way to Him who, as the better and far brighter sun, shall, in the full revelation of his glory, rise upon all the redeemed, and rise never to set any more, but to beam and brighten upon the happy ones throughout the ages of a revolving eternity. Should we not wait—should we not long—should we not pray—should we not strive for the revival of Israel? Unbelievers themselves will acknowledge that the universal diffusion and reception of Christianity were the harbingers of peace, and blessings unnumbered to the nations, and of this there can be no doubt. Were all men truly disciples of Jesus, what a happy world were ours. Contention would cease, suffering would in a great measure pass away, while instead would be found all happiness and harmony. Now, if this be so destined to come, until Israel be revived, how desirable is this event? Does not the politician exult when some distant spot has been added to his native dominion? Does not the merchant rejoice when some new port has opened itself for the reception of his traffic? And will not the Christian, nay, will not the well-wisher to humanity, even though not altogether a Christian, anticipate with joy this conversion of a world to that faith, which, in language of living lustre, carries inscribed upon its front, "Glory to God in the highest, on earth, peace and good will to men." Surely it will. Let him, then, hail the revival of Israel. However men may scorn it, that event is certain. Already, in the conversion of one here and another there, in the translation of the living and life-giving Word into the language of every clime where they dwell, nay, in the establishment of a Christian bishopric at this moment within the walls of Jerusalem, and that, moreover, in the person of a native, I see the small drops of rain before the abundant and refreshing shower—the faint rays of the morning sun tinging the eastern hills before the lustre of meridian glory. Let the believer patiently wait. The cloud will soon break asunder and pour down the welcome stream to fertilize the moral and spiritual soil. The day will soon advance to give way to the bright and glorious luminary coming from his orient chambers, to revive and bring to maturity the fruits of the same. So that Israel, though now desolate and dispirited, is constrained, in the language of a modern poet, put into the mouth of one of his wandering children, to exclaim:

> "No portion now our feet essay—
> [illegible]
> And these best left them to their own."

We will yet have reason to know, that the prayer, ascribed to that wanderer by the same poet, has been answered:

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New Music.

R. G. GREENE, from his Music Store, No. 98 Lake street, has for sale the following new music: Soldiers' Polka Redowa: for the Piano Forte, By Francis H. Brown.

Romanza, from the opera of "Les Huguenots." An extremely beautiful thing.

The Blackbird Polka, composed by M. M. S.

"Swinging, Swinging, all Day Long," the Song of the Old Hall Clock. Solo and Chorus By Wurzel.

This establishment is constantly receiving new music from all the eastern cities, and has always on hand everything in the line of music and musical instruments that can be desired.

TO SAIL.—The Kinney expedition, supposed to be piratical, will sail, according to advertisement, on Saturday the 19th. We shall hear of it hereafter.

American Baptist Publication Society.

SECOND DAY, Saturday, May 12.

Morning Session.

Society met at 10 A. M. Opened by prayer, by Rev. Mr. Webb, of New Jersey.

Rev. Mr. Kempton, of Pa., chosen Secretary, *pro tem.*

The matter of the amendments to the Constitution, proposed yesterday, was then taken up. On motion, the society went into committee of the whole, Rev. Mr. Drayman in the chair.

The amendments were discussed seriatim, and the amended constitution finally adopted by the committee, with a single verbal alteration.

Whereupon, the committee rose and reported back to the society the amended constitution as adopted by the committee.

On motion, the constitution was adopted by the society.

It provides that the name of the society shall be the "American Baptist Publication Society;" that its object shall be the promotion of evangelical religion by the printing press, colportage and Sunday schools; that it shall be composed of annual and life members, and honorary life managers; that any person may become a member by paying $5 annually; a life member by paying $20; and a manager for life by paying $50. The society shall meet annually, at such time and place as the Board of Managers may appoint.

AFTERNOON SESSION.

The nominating committee made a report nominating Hon. THOMAS EWING, of Ohio, for President, and a long list of *twenty-eight* Vice Presidents.

MR. GEO. B. IDE, of Mass., inquired what was the object in displacing our present worthy President, Rev. JOSEPH H. KENNARD of Pa.? Had he not been a faithful and efficient officer? He believed that it was done with a view to *nationalize* the Society. He was in favor of nationalization; but was it wise to attempt to do so by creating a host of Vice Presidents and deposing our present President? A better way, he thought, would be to disseminate our publications, instead of keeping them locked up at 218, Arch Street.

Rev. G. S. WEBB, of New Brunswick, also spoke against the proposed long list of Vice Presidents. He would much prefer the number to be reduced to four or five, a number amply sufficient for all practical purposes.

Rev. SUPPLY CHASE, of Detroit, Mich., moved that the report be referred back to the nominating committee with instructions to report a list of *four* Vice Presidents. Carried.

The Committee on Depositories made a report, which was read and gave rise to some discussion.

Rev. SUPPLY CHASE, of Detroit, spoke of the great want of the books of the Society in Michigan, and urged the importance of taking more effectual means than the report recommends, for their distribution.

Rev. G. B. IDE, of Mass., spoke of the difficulties in the way of distributing our publications. The circulation of our books was opposed to the pecuniary interests of book-sellers generally.—We cannot supply book-sellers at the same terms that other publishers can. They cannot afford to advertise them as they advertise attractive works in other departments of literature.

The means of distribution he would suggest were *colportage*. Let us appoint more colporteurs. They can and will distribute our books. He regretted to learn that there were no Baptist books in Detroit, but their minister was a walking Baptist book, and perhaps they did not need them so bad.

Rev. SUPPLY CHASE and Rev. ——— of Indiana, expressed doubts as to the efficacy of colportage, especially in supplying Sunday Schools. Let the Society send out their publications to central points in the West, and among others to this city. Let them risk a little, We'll buy them them and pay for them. The Society must pursue a liberal course. "The liberal soul shall be made fat"—and if they don't make themselves fat, they will at least feed the hungry souls of hundreds.

The Rev. Dr. SHADRACK, of Philadelphia, stated that the plan had been tried of sending books out on credit. Books have been sent out in lots of $50, $100, and $500 at a time, and after waiting long after pay-day to the printer, the stereotyper, the binder, and the paper-maker, the books have been sent back, unsold, and worth 50 per cent. less than when sent out. Such a system will ruin us. Let the Churches raise funds. Let them send us $50 and we will send them $60 worth of books. For $100 we will send them $130 worth. If a Sunday School wants $25 worth of books, let them send the money, and we will send them the books by express, free of charge.

Report ordered to be printed.

For the Tribune.

TEMPERANCE MEETING.

There was a large meeting of the friends of Temperance at the Indiana Street Methodist Church on Friday evening last. Rev. Mr. Williams was chosen Chairman. The meeting was addressed by Rev. Mr. Thomas, of Zanesville, Ohio. It was one of the most thrillingly powerful and convincing appeals to which we ever listened—showing most clearly the absurdity of attempting to rid any community of the evils and curses of intemperance without a Prohibitory Law.

At the close of Mr. Thomas' speech the following preamble and resolutions were presented and unanimously adopted:

WHEREAS, This meeting has heard with indignation and contempt of the attempts made by the Rum Sellers of this city and by the editor of the *Anti-Prohibitionist* to escape from the odium justly affixed upon them by His Honor Mayor Boone in his late communication to the Common Council in regard to the riots in this city on the 21st day of April last, and to censure Mayor Boone as well for his action upon that occasion as for his exposure of their villainy, therefore

Resolved, That this meeting fully endorse the views of Mayor Boone as to the origin of the late riot, and as to where its guilt should rest; that we regard the Rumsellers of the city who had banded themselves together for the avowed purpose of resisting the Law, and the editor which recommended and defended such an organization as the *originators* and *ringleaders* in those disturbances which resulted in the death of one man, the mutilation for life of many others, the violation of the laws of the land, and the disgrace of an open mob, which was a legitimate and necessary result of the seven hundred open groceries which have been so long tolerated in our midst; and that we will support Mayor Boone in his avowal of the truth, and his efforts to place the guilt where it belongs and to keep it there; and to close up and forever annihilate those fountains of evil so prolific in vice and crime.

Resolved, That the thanks of this meeting are hereby tendered to Mr. Thomas for his able and interesting lecture this evening.

After the resolutions had been adopted the Rev. Mr. Williams, at the earnest call of many in the house, came forward and spoke for a few minutes as only Rev. Mr. Williams can speak.—From his long association with some of the best minds in Europe, he has a good opportunity to mark the effect on this vice on the minds and fortunes of some of the most talented men Europe has ever known. This knowledge combined with a power of description almost unequalled, gives him great control over his hearers, and he sends home the terrible evils of intemperance to the hearts of his audience, so that they must *feel* and feeling they will act.

Another meeting will be held there on Tuesday evening.

CARPETS
FOR
SPRING STYLES,
AT THE
Great Carpet Hall,
OF
BEECHER, HOLLISTER & WILKINS,
133 AND 135 LAKE STREET,
UP STAIRS.
[illegible]
SUPERB VELVETS,
ORNAMENTAL
TAPESTRYS,
ROYAL STEREADED BRUSSELS
CARPETS!
Elegant Curtain
GOODS.
[illegible]
PARIS,
—ALSO—
LACE CURTAINS,
[illegible]
OIL CLOTHS,
[illegible]
MATTINGS,
[illegible]
UPHOLSTERING.
[illegible]
LOW PRICES.
[illegible]
UP STAIRS.
BEECHER, HOLLISTER & WILKINS.

SUNDRIES.
100 BOXES PALM SOAP.
[illegible]
E. HEMPSTEAD.

COMMERCIAL.

CHICAGO WHOLESALE MARKET.

Saturday evening, May 12.

[illegible]

FLOUR, GRAIN, &c.

FLOUR.—[illegible]

WHEAT.—[illegible]

CORN.—[illegible]

OATS.—No sales.

BARLEY.—[illegible]

RYE.—[illegible]

FREIGHTS.

Propeller Mt. Vernon loads out an old contract; propeller Milwaukee, and schooners Mary and Miriam load on private terms.

PROVISIONS.

BEEF.—Mess $13.00. Extra mess $14.00.

PORK.—Clear mess $18.00. [illegible]

CUT MEAT.—Hams, [illegible]

SALT.—[illegible]

HAY.—[illegible]

LARD.—[illegible]

TALLOW.—[illegible]

CHEESE.—[illegible]

POTATOES.—Few buyers. [illegible]

BUTTER.—Good fresh roll commands 17@18c. [illegible]

EGGS.—Dull at [illegible]

BEANS.—[illegible]

POULTRY.—[illegible]

GROCERIES.

SUGARS.—N. O. new crop, [illegible]

MOLASSES.—Plantation, [illegible]

COFFEE.—Rio, [illegible]

SALERATUS.—[illegible]

RICE.—New, [illegible]

WHITE FISH.—No. 1, inspected, [illegible]

TROUT.—[illegible]

FRUIT.

DRIED FRUIT.—[illegible]

GREEN FRUIT.—[illegible]

SPIRITS.

HIGHWINES.—Sales at 35c. Whisky, [illegible]

SEEDS.

SEEDS.—Flax Seed, $1.50. Timothy, [illegible]

HIDES.

HIDES.—Green, [illegible]

WOOL.

[illegible]

NEW YORK MARKET.—[BY TELEGRAPH.]

NEW YORK, May 12.

[illegible]

STOCK AND MONEY MARKET.

NEW YORK, May 12.

[illegible]

BUFFALO MARKET.—[BY TELEGRAPH.]

BUFFALO, May 12.

[illegible]

NEW ORLEANS MARKET.—May

[illegible]

PORT OF BUFFALO.—May 12.

ARRIVED—May 12.

[illegible]

CLEARED—May 12.

[illegible]

CINCINNATI MARKET—May 11.

[illegible]

DETROIT MARKET—May 11.

[illegible]

MILWAUKEE MARKET—May 12.

[illegible]

PORT OF CHICAGO.

ARRIVED—May 12.

[illegible]

CLEARED—May 12.

[illegible]

CANAL.

ARRIVED—May 12.

[illegible]

RECEIPTS.

[illegible]

SHIPMENTS.

[illegible]

The following are the receipts of Flour and Grain at the Galena Depot during the 24 hours ending yesterday at 3 o'clock P. M.

[illegible]

MOVEMENTS OF OCEAN STEAMERS.

TO SAIL.

[illegible]

TO ARRIVE.

[illegible]

SPECIAL NOTICE.

CHICAGO AND CALUMET PLANK R. R.

[illegible]
JOHN WEBB, Secretary.

KENOSHA WATER CURE.

THIS INSTITUTION [illegible]
H. T. SEELEY, M. D.
Kenosha, Wisconsin.

FARMERS AND OTHERS,
IN WANT OF
HAY & STRAW CUTTERS,
Will do well to call and see
SANDFORD'S PATENT,
[illegible]
E. G. WATMAN,
233 Lake street, Chicago, Illinois.

MARINE INSURANCE.

STATEMENT

OF THE AFFAIRS OF THE MUTUAL INSURANCE COMPANY BUFFALO, ON THE THIRD DAY OF FEB., 1855.

[illegible]

A. A. EUSTAPHIEVE.

SAMUEL T. ATWATER, Notary Public.

AUDITOR'S OFFICE, STATE OF ILLINOIS,

[illegible]

MRS. WYMAN & FOWLER
WOULD announce to the Ladies of Chicago that they have taken Rooms at
65 LAKE STREET,
Over Walmsley's Millinery Store,
[illegible]

COAL! COAL!!
A CARGO of Extra Pennsylvania COAL [illegible]

REPORT

OF THE STAR INSURANCE COMPANY, TO THE STATE OF ILLINOIS.

In pursuance of Law, passed Feb. 14, 1855.

[illegible]

STATE OF NEW YORK,

[illegible]

J. G. HOPKINS, President.

H. G. FOOTE, Secretary.

AUDITOR'S OFFICE, STATE OF ILLINOIS,

[illegible]

FIRE PROOF SAFE
DEPOT,
S. 232 & 234 SOUTH WATER ST.,
A Warehouse for the sale of
DAVIDSON'S FIRE KING SAFE,
[illegible]
MANUFACTURER'S PRICES.
[illegible]

GOBWEY'S RELIANCE LOCK.
[illegible]

LOCOMOTIVE LAMPS.
[illegible]

TO ALL RAILROAD COMPANIES.
[illegible]
CORRUGATED SINGLE PLATE CAR WHEELS.
[illegible]

40 ASSORTED ANVILS.
[illegible]
E. D. ELY & CO.

LINSEED OIL.—[illegible]

BULL'S SARSAPARILLA.—[illegible]

K. [illegible]

WHALE OIL, [illegible]
SAWYER, PAINE & CO.

INDIA RUBBER TOYS, [illegible]

HOPS.—[illegible]
SAWYER, PAINE & CO.

INDIA RUBBER GOODS [illegible]

300 [illegible]

608 [illegible]

WHITE WASH BRUSH. [illegible]

BY TELEGRAPH.

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Office 25 Clark st., ground floor.

Philadelphia, May 12.

The steamer Keystone State, at this port from Savannah, reports that last night, in the Delaware Bay, she was run into by the schooner Adrian, bence for Fall River, laden with coal. The Adrian sunk in 15 minutes. Three of her crew were saved, but Geo. B. Mallet, the Captain, and P. A. Lowell the cook, were lost. Off Bombay Hook, the Keystone State was again run into by the schooner Little Tour. The schooner filled and went down in 13 minutes—crew saved.

Baltimore, May 12.

Mr. Morse, U. S. District Attorney for Louisiana, has resigned on account of his having been superseded in the prosecution of Post Master Kendall by the order of Attorney General Cushing.

New Orleans, May 10.

James H. Eshbridge, a ship broker in this city, has failed. Liabilities $170,000.

May 11.

The steamship Orizaba has arrived at this port with dates from Mexico to the 5th inst. Santa Anna had gone south with a body of troops. It was reported that a large body of soldiers at Sonora had revolted and issued a pronunciamento.

New York, May 12.

The cotton factory at Newburgh, owned by Carpenter & Huckman, was burned on Thursday night. Loss $10,000; partly insured.

Toronto, May 12.

Lake Superior and Georgian Bay are free of ice, and navigation is fully resumed. Steamers will commence their trips next Monday between Collingwood and Lake Superior.

St. Louis, May 12.

The Republican has advices of the arrival of the Mackinaw Express boat, in charge of Jo Courant at Kansas. She is from the Rocky Mountains, and consigned to the American Fur Company. They report the snow from three to six inches deep only, and no prospect of a further rise in the river from the mountains this year. The Indians have been very troublesome and are determined on the possession of all the scalps in their region. The company was detained by them two days.

The meeting formerly announced at Leavenworth adjourned without any remarkable proceeding, all the leading resolutions being to suffer the law to take its course in the case of Mc Crea, who killed Clark.

The steamer New Georgetown struck a snag in the Missouri river, about six miles above its mouth and sunk. The boat is a total loss; she was filled with government stores, and is fully insured.

Cleveland, May 12.

The Sag Nichts state convention at Columbus on Thursday adopted the democratic state ticket except Governor, Attorney General, and Auditor. Chase receives the nomination of Governor in place of Medill.

Boston, May 12.

In the Senate to-day Mr. Wright introduced a bill to incorporate Donald McKay, James M. Beebce, Enoch Train, B. Hall, Geo. B. Upton and their associates and successors as the Boston and European steamship company, with a capital of $2,000,000.

Mayor Raymond of Cambridge has issued a proclamation approving of the new Liquor Law, and declaring his determination to enforce it.

There have been 78 deaths in this city during the past week.

Springfield, Ill., May 12.—A most destructive fire occurred last night, consuming the best business portion of the city. On the state house square nine of the best stores were burned to the ground. The entire loss cannot be more than $150,000, which, we are gratified to learn, is in the main covered by insurance.—The fire was discovered about one o'clock, and nothing could be done to arrest the progress of the flames. The streets are now filled full of goods and a general confusion and consternation prevails. The fire is supposed to have been the work of an incendiary.

Springfield, May 12.

The fire which occurred here last night, consumed the stores of Johnson & Bradford, books and stationery; Clark and Hunkle, clothing; Thayer & Co., dry goods; Condly & Johnson, drugs and medicines; Spears & Co., dry goods; Brock & Co., clothing; and Irwin & Davis, dry goods and groceries. The entire loss is not correctly estimated. The catastrophe has left a great blank in the best portion of the city.

Louisville, May 12.

The *Courier* of this morning publishes a long letter from Prof. Morse to Bishop Spalding in answer to the latter's charge that he (Morse) could not prove that La Fayette used the words "if ever the liberties of this country (the U. S.) are ruined it will be by the Romish Priests." Prof. Morse proves that La Fayette did use the expression and makes it appear that Bishop Spalding's evidence to the contrary is unworthy of belief.

Baltimore, May 12.

The compositors on all the night papers in New Orleans, except the *Picayune*, have been on a strike, in consequence of which other printers are being brought to the city.

Our Galveston dates are to the 5th. News unimportant. Complaints of want of rain and the destruction of the crops generally, were prevalent. Four negroes who had committed an outrage on a family were captured, tried by Lynch law and hanged.

The sloop of-war Falmouth arrived at Pensacola on the 5th, from Aspinwall, and would sail from there to join the Cuban squadron.

New York, May 12.

The steamship Star of the West sailed for San Juan de Nicaragua this P. M.

Senator Sumner has agreed, upon invitation, to report the lecture he delivered a few days since, next week.

The steamship Golden Age, whose probable loss was reported by the Illinois, was one of the finest vessels which ever left this port. She was valued at 3 or 400,000 dollars, and mostly insured in England.

Halifax, May 12.

The steamship Africa, from Boston, arrived here at 8 A. M., Friday, and sailed at half past 9 for Liverpool.

New Orleans, May 11.

The steamship Empire City has arrived here from Havana. She reports the steamship Illinois *en route* from Aspinwall to New York had put into Havana, having on board the California ails, &c. to April 17th.

The steamship Golden Age left San Francisco on the 17th with the mails, passengers, and $1,300,000 in treasure on board. On the night of the 29th, off the island of Quibo, about five miles from Panama, she struck a sunken rock while going at full speed. The water gained on her rapidly. Perfect discipline, however was maintained among the crew and passengers until communication was had with Panama, and the steamship John L. Stephens went to their rescue and landed them. The steamship Panama was sent on the 3d inst. to the assistance of the unfortunate vessel and with strong hopes of saving her.

News from California of little importance.

The rains continued and the mines were producing well. Commercial confidence was gradually returning.

An effort would be made on the 24th to elect a U. S. Senator.

JOHN WEST'S
CARPET AND GENERAL
FURNISH'G WAREHOUSE,
197 Lake St. 197
CARPETS.
One of the largest and best assorted stocks of Carpeting in the United States, at the reduced prices of the day.
J. WEST, 197 LAKE STREET.
CURTAINS.
Brocatelle, Satin de Laine, Damask, Lace Curtains, Curtain Goods, &c., and every curtain requisite.
J. WEST, 197 LAKE STREET.
FURNITURE.
In addition to my present extensive assortment, we are finishing several magnificent suites of furniture, which will be ready for the early spring trade.
J. WEST, 197 LAKE STREET.

CHICAGO CITY INSURANCE CO.
[illegible]

EASTERN CARRIAGE DEPOSITORY.
SHELTON & TUTTLE,
EASTERN CARRIAGES OF ALL KINDS.
[illegible]

GREEN BAY LUMBER.
ROGERS & BROWN,
[illegible]
WHOLESALE AND RETAIL DEALERS
IN
LUMBER, LATH, SHINGLES, &c.
[illegible]

250 BAGS RIO.
COFFEE.
E. HEMPSTEAD.

D [illegible]
SAWYER, PAINE & CO.

200 [illegible]
SAWYER, PAINE & CO.

LEADED NOTICES.

PIANO-FORTE TUNING & REGULATING.

IT is with much pleasure that I recommend Mr. E. T. HURLBUT, as a Piano Forte Tuner and Regulator. [illegible]

CARL BERGMANN.

Orders left at H. BRADANT'S Music Store, [illegible]

FOR SALE.
AT a bargain, the best stock Farm in Northern Illinois, [illegible]
Enquire of Dr. J. A. KENNICOTT, 94 Lake st., Chicago.

TO CIVIL ENGINEERS ARCHITECTS, &C.
THE BOARD OF SEWERAGE COMMISSIONERS hereby invite the presentation of plans for a "thorough, systematic and effectual drainage of the city of Chicago." [illegible]
A reward of One Thousand Dollars will be paid [illegible]
W. B. OGDEN,
J. D. WEBSTER, Sewerage Commissioners.
S. LIND,

PHOENIX MILLS.
CORNER OF OHIO AND FRANKLIN STREETS.
THE undersigned has just completed the rebuilding of his establishment, and is now prepared to receive orders for All kinds of Sawing and Planing of Lumber, [illegible]
Woodworth's Patent Planing Mills,
[illegible]
GEO. W. JENNINGS.
Chicago, Ill.
P. S.—The upper story of the main building, [illegible]

NEW AND IMPORTANT WORK
JUST PUBLISHED,
ANNA CLAYTON;
OR, THE MOTHER'S TRIAL.
THIS powerfully written and popular Tale has just been published by JAMES FRENCH & CO., of Boston, and is meeting with immense success.
[illegible] Price $1.

Valuable Water Lot
FOR SALE FOR CASH,
TO CLOSE A TRUST.
OGDEN, JONES & CO.
WILL sell at Auction, for cash, on Monday, 11th June next, [illegible]
WHARFING LOT 4 AND LOT 8,
[illegible]

BANK EXCHANGE OFFICE ENGLAND
—OF—
F. GRANGER ADAMS
44 CLARK STREET 44
[illegible]
Office Hours from 9 A. M. to 5 P. M.

NOTICE.
THE Majority of the Stock of the Interior Bank of the State of Georgia, at Griffin, [illegible]
GEO SMITH & CO.
Chicago, 14th March, 1855.

HOUSES IN WAUKEGAN FOR SALE.
TWO beautiful residences, situated in the most desirable part of the city of Waukegan, [illegible]
E. F. EASTON, 173 West Lake street,
C. H. HAWLEY, 143 South Water st.

WM. R. WILLIAMS,
IMPORTER AND JOBBER IN
EMBROIDERIES
Is now prepared to exhibit and offer for sale, at the
LOWEST NEW YORK CASH PRICES,
the largest stock of Embroideries to be found in Chicago.
15,000 Fine Needle Worked Embr. Collars,
1,500 " " " Habits,
5,000 pairs " " Banded & Flowing Sleeves.
20 LA SALLE ST., Up Stairs.
Between Lake and South Water st.

FIELD, BENEDICT & CO.
HAVE now in Store, a most desirable Stock of
FANCY CASSIMERES, DOESKINS, and
BLACK FRENCH BROAD CLOTHS,
BROWN " "
BLUE " "
GREEN " "
AMELIA COL'D
Silk & Marseilles Vesting, Black French Satins,
&c., &c.
All of which, with other goods suitable for MEN'S WEAR we offer for sale on the most reasonable terms.
121 SOUTH WATER ST., CHICAGO.

NEW DRESS GOODS.
T. B. CARTER & CO.
136 LAKE STREET 136
HAVE received a large assortment of New Fashionable Dress Goods.
SILKS,
CHALLETS,
DE LAINES,
MUSLINS,
PRINTS,
GINGHAMS.
Also Robes in Tissues and Bareges of latest styles, With a great variety of other First Class Goods.
April 10, 1855.

SELLING OUT,
On Account of change in Business.
The Stock will be Removed on the 1st of May, to
No. 238 STATE STREET,
Corner State and Jackson streets.
A complete and well assorted Stock of
TRIMMINGS,
FANCY BASKETS,
FANCY GOODS,
GERMAN WORSTEDS, &C.
BY
CARL F. W. JUNGE,
33 CLARK STS. 33
Between Lake and South Water street.

Heavy Hardware
AND IRON,
AT G EAT BARGAINS.
E. D. ELY & CO.,
DESIROUS of closing their Iron and Nail business, offer the remainder of their stock for sale at prices much below present market value.

1855 FOR THE SPRING OF 1855
NEW
BOOT AND SHOE
WAREHOUSE
BUEL, HILL & GRANGER,
Manufacturers and Wholesale Dealers
IN
BOOTS AND SHOES,
137 SOUTH WATER ST. 137
[illegible]

MOLASSES AND SYRUPS.
250 BBLS. PLANTATION MOLASSES.
[illegible]
E. HEMPSTEAD.

ALL PERSONS are forbidden to trust any of the sailors [illegible]

300 HHDS. N. O. SUGAR.
[illegible]
WILLIAMS, THOMPSON & CO.

ESTATE OF BRIDGET CULLEN.
PUBLIC NOTICE [illegible]

STEAM POWER.
20 HORSE POWER TO RENT, [illegible]

BAKERS' [illegible]

BUFFALO PURE LEAD IN OIL.—[illegible]

POTASH by the Cask, at
SAWYER, PAINE & CO.

500 [illegible] CIGARS, [illegible]

COFFEE.
300 BAGS RIO COFFEE.
WILLIAMS, THOMPSON & CO.

GOLDEN SYRUP.
20 BBLS. [illegible] GOLDEN SYRUP,
WILLIAMS, THOMPSON & CO.

NEW RICE.
15 TIERCES NEW RICE, [illegible]
WILLIAMS, THOMPSON & CO.

RIO COFFEE.
500 BAGS [illegible]

DEAD SHOT [illegible]
SAWYER, PAINE & CO.

ROSS & FOSTER'S
COLUMN.
JUST RECEIVED,
A Very Large Assortment New
SPRING GOODS,
LACE WINDOW CURTAINS,
CURTAIN MUSLINS,
Window Draperies
Of Every Description, from the
SPRING AUCTIONS,
And Still Lower than the Ruinous Prices of Last Season.
FRENCH EMBROIDERIES,
OF EVERY DESCRIPTION,
SPRING SHAWLS,
GOLD BORDERED SHAWLS,
GOLD BORDERED SQUARE SHAWLS,
THIBET SILK FRINGED SHAWLS,
LONG AND SQUARE BROCHE SHAWLS,
BLACK WATERED SILKS,
PLAIN ALL WOOL DE LAINES,
WHITE AND COLORED
MARSEILLES QUILTS,
COUNTERPANES,
Table Linens,
Piano Table and Stand Covers,
LINEN SHEETINGS,
PILLOW CASE LINENS,
TOWELLINGS OF ALL DESCRIPTIONS,
300 PIECES
Merimack Prints,
SPRING STYLES, FOR 10 CTS. A YARD.
French Ginghams,
FOR 1s. A YARD.
A FRESH IMPORTATION
Just received by Express, of the following articles:
SPLENDID PARIS MANTILLAS,
All Styles and Qualities.
SPLENDID ASSORTMENT PARASOLS,
Embracing the Richest Goods Imported.
The Largest Assortment.
Plain & Embroidered Crape Shawls,
[illegible]
STILLA SHAWLS,
In Great Variety, of the most desirable colors and Sugar Loaf.
Spring Shawls of all Descriptions.
Another splendid lot of
STRIPED, PLAIDED & PLAIN SILKS,
In BLACK SILKS, [illegible]
SUPERB GRENADINES.
[illegible]
SPLENDID GRENADINES, [illegible]
SUPERB FLOUNCED ROBES, of all descriptions.
PARIS PRINTED ORGANDIES
[illegible]
PARIS PRINTED JACONETS.
BEREGES,
A splendid Assortment, both Plain and Printed.
STRIPED GRANADINES.
Black Challies, Mourning Lawns, [illegible]
DOTTED LINENS, for dresses.
FRENCH SHEETING PRINTS, for Gentlemen's Wear.
GENTLEMEN'S SCARFS, CRAVATS, and NECK TIES, in endless variety.
SPLENDID FRENCH EMBROIDERIES.
The Richest Goods Imported.
REAL GUIPURE LACES, all widths.
Splendid Assortment THREAD LACES, just opened
REAL THREAD VEILS, French Vals. Also Chantilly Veils of the Richest Quality.
[illegible]
Ross & Foster,
71 LAKE STREET 71

SPLENDID Assortment LACE CURTAINS, [illegible]

SPLENDID PARIS MANTILLAS.
[illegible]

MORI' ANTIQUES,
just received at ROSS & FOSTER'S.

SPLENDID ORGANDY'S.—[illegible]
ROSS & FOSTER'S 71 Lake street.

PEORIA MARINE AND FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY.
[illegible]

W. B. LOUNSBURY AND C. N. HOLDEN,
INSURANCE AGENTS,
77 RANDOLPH, corner of Dearborn street.
PHENIX INSURANCE CO.,
Of Hartford, Conn.
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CITY FIRE INSURANCE CO.
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MERCHANTS' INSURANCE CO.,
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Bankers and Dealers in Exchange,
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SELECT PRIVATE BOARDING HOUSE.
ON THE NORTH SIDE.
THE UNDERSIGNED will open, on the 1st of May, a SELECT PRIVATE BOARDING HOUSE, [illegible]

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Importers and Wholesale Dealers in
ENGLISH, GERMAN, & AMERICAN
HARDWARE, CUTLERY, TOOLS, &c.
SHOVELS, SPADES, HOES, FORKS, AXES,
Scythes, Snaths, Rakes, Cradles,
ANVILS, VICES, BELLOWS, CHAINS,
Mill, Circular and Cross Cut Saws,
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No. 102 SOUTH WATER STREET.

CHICAGO
LEAD PIPE
AND
Sheet Lead Works.
CORNER OF CLINTON AND FULTON STREETS, WEST SIDE.
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PROFESSOR WOOD'S
HAIR RESTORATIVE.
[illegible]

NOTICE TO THE SICK EVERYWHERE
PROF. WOOD'S ORIENTAL SANATIVE LINIMENT AND VEGETABLE MAGIC LIFE PILLS.
[illegible]

TARRER'S OIL [illegible]

300 [illegible]
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FOR SALE.

CLARK & PICKERING,
Real state Agents and Commission Merchants,
OFFICE, 4 WELLS STREET
BETWEEN LAKE AND SOUTH WATER STREETS.
[illegible]
OFFER FOR SALE,
HOUSES AND LOTS,
IN THE CITY.
SUBURBAN PROPERTY AND FARMS.
Also, Agents for the sale of Property in
RACINE.
[illegible]
CLARK & PICKERING, 4 Wells street.

LOOK AT THIS.
CONCERT HALL, [illegible]
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UNION PARK PROPERTY.
132 FEET fronting the Park on Reuben street, [illegible]
CLARK & PICKERING, 4 Wells st.

UNDERTAKER'S ESTABLISHMENT FOR SALE.
THE Entire Ready Made Stock, [illegible]
CLARK & PICKERING, 4 Wells st.

SOUTH DIVISION.—DESIRABLE PROPERTY.
[illegible]
CLARK & PICKERING, No. 4 Wells st.

RARE CHANCE.—[illegible]
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VALUABLE MILL PROPERTY FOR SALE.
SITUATED [illegible]
CLARK & PICKERING.

CHEAPEST AND BEST FARM IN THE WEST.
SITUATED on the Plank Road, [illegible]
CLARK & PICKERING, 4 Wells street.

FOR SALE.
MERCHANT TAILORING ESTABLISHMENT
BEING well established [illegible]
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FOR SALE.
THE FURNITURE and Lease of a first class Board House [illegible]

FOR SALE.
A G. [illegible]
W. H. SAMPSON, 63 Wells street.

ENGINE FOR SALE.
ONE FOURTEEN HORSE POWER. [illegible]

FOR SALE.
100 KEGS of SAUSAGE CASES [illegible]

HOUSES FOR SALE.
[illegible]

FOR SALE.
A GOOD Carriage and Horses [illegible]

FOR SALE.
150 M. SEASONED DRESSED LOOR. [illegible]

FOR SALE.
FOR SALE—[illegible]
GRUBB & WILLMARTH.

CARRIAGE FOR SALE.
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P. W. GATES & CO.
Railroad Cars, Steam Engines and Boilers,
GATE'S PATENT SCREW CUTTER,
FLOUR AND SAW MILL GEARING,
[illegible]
Engine and Hand Lathes, Upright Drills,
Slide Rests, Power and Hand Planers, &c.
[illegible]

FOR SALE.
PORTABLE STEAM ENGINES, [illegible]
P. W. GATES & CO.

FOR SALE.
STEAM INDICATORS and STEAM WATER GUAGES [illegible]
P. W. GATES & CO.

FOR SALE.
ALL KINDS of [illegible] BRASS WORK,
[illegible]

FOR SALE.
STEAM BOILERS [illegible]

FOR SALE.
HARD WOOD, LUMBER, PLANKS, &C.
[illegible]
P. W. GATES & CO.

FOR SALE.
SHORT CLEAR SIDINGS, [illegible]

THE GROVE NURSERY.
[illegible]
JOHN A. & CHAS. KENNICOTT.

VALUABLE
FARM FOR SALE,
NEAR QUINCY, ILL.
The Farm known as BUENA VISTA FARM, [illegible]
Quincy, March 4.

SPRING, 1855.
HARDWARE
WM. BLAIR & CO.,
No. 176 LAKE STREET
IMPORTERS AND WHOLESALE DEALERS IN
AMERICAN AND FOREIGN
Hardware, Cutlery,
TIN PLATE, COPPER, SHEET IRON,
TINNERS' TOOLS, &c.
[illegible]

NOTICE.
THE GREATEST DIVIDEND YET.
[illegible]
COOK & McLAIN.

FROM FRANCE.
INFANTS'
CLOTHES BASKETS,
A NEW LOT,
Just received by
CARL F. W. JUNGE,
33 CLARK ST. 33

[illegible]

[illegible]

CLOTHING.

MRS. HARVEY'S CHILDREN'S CLOTHING EMPORIUM.

Ready Made Clothing for Children

1855. SPRING TRADE. 1855.

No. 77 RANDOLPH STREET, CORNER DEARBORN.

C. M. AIKEN,

Cloths, Cassimeres, and Vestings,

FOR CASH.

READY MADE CLOTHING,

Paris, London, and New York Fashions.

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WHOLESALE AND RETAIL DEALER IN READY MADE CLOTHING,

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FASHIONABLE MERCHANT TAILOR

A VERY RICH AND LARGE STOCK OF BROADCLOTHS.

SUMMER COATINGS.

Fancy Silk, Satin and Grenadine Vestings.

DIRECT FROM BOSTON.

NEW AND FASHIONABLE STYLES OF

Ready Made CLOTHING,

T. Y. WEST & CO.,

125 RANDOLPH ST. 125

CLOTHING.

GREAT REDUCTION IN PRICES.

C. M. AIKEN.

BOYS' CLOTHING AT COST.

NEW GOODS

Just Received

AT THE

CLOTHING HALL,

183 LAKE ST. 183

CHOICEST STOCKS OF CLOTHS, CASSIMERES, AND VESTINGS,

BOUGHT AND SELECTED WITH GREAT CARE.

Latest Style.

WM. CLINGMAN & CO.,

Evarts' Patent

SHINGLE MILL.

NOTICE.

SCHOOL BOOKS.

BLANK BOOKS.

REAL ESTATE.

DESIRABLE REAL ESTATE FOR SALE.

LOTS FOR SALE.

FARM FOR SALE.

FOR SALE.

FARM LANDS

FOR SALE

In Lots to suit Purchasers.

OVER

2,000,000

OF ACRES OF SELECTED PRAIRIE FARM LANDS,

Belonging to the

Illinois Central Railroad Company.

Giving Six Years to pay for the Land,

With a Charge of only Two per Cent. per annum,

INTEREST.

CHARLES DU PUY, Jr.

SALE OF LOTS,

MATTOON.

COLLINS & BLATCHFORD,

LEAD PIPE AND SHEET LEAD WORKS.

WILLIAM LILL & CO.,

MANUFACTURERS OF

Alcohol, Pure Spirits, Deodorized Alcohol, and COLOGNE SPIRITS.

Hostetter's Bitters.

A RARE CHANCE TO MAKE A FORTUNE.

VESSEL FOR SALE.

PAPER HANGINGS.

Faxon & Crosby,

52 RANDOLPH ST. 52

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French English and American

PAPER HANGINGS,

MOULDINGS, VIEWS,

AND DECORATIONS,

OF EVERY DESCRIPTION.

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A Large Assortment of

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WINDOW SHADES,

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MISCELLANEOUS.

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"FISK'S PATENT METALIC BURIAL CASES."

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A. & R. McCLURE,

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BATHING.

HOT AND COLD BATHS EVERY DAY.

WINES AND LIQUORS,

CIGARS!!

BRINCKERHOFF & PENTON.

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MINERAL WATER BOTTLE CORKS.

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FRENCH GELATINE.

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95 PER CT. ALCOHOL.

WHITE LEAD.

DRUGGISTS' GLASS.

SHADE TREES AND EVERGREENS.

DREDGING MACHINES,

Messrs. Stark & Pruyn, Albany, N. Y.

NO MERCURY.

PROFESSOR THOMSON'S DISPENSARY

CHICAGO PRIVATE HOSPITAL.

QUICK CURES AND LOW PRICES.

DR. D.'S OFFICE.

113 WELLS STREET 113

LEGAL NOTICES.

ADMINISTRATRIX SALE OF REAL ESTATE.

MARY A. HIBBARD,

Administratrix of the estate of Harvey L. Hibbard.

STATE OF ILLINOIS, County of Cook.

PUBLIC NOTICE

WALTER KIMBALL, Clerk.

AFFIDAVIT

SALE OF SCHOOL LANDS.

JOHN W. WAUGHOP,

School Commissioner of Cook County, Illinois.

MASTERS SALE OF A PACKING HOUSE AND FIXTURES.

GEORGE MANIERRE, Master.

NOTICE.

TRUSTEE'S SALE.

DISSOLUTION.

NOTICE.

COPARTNERSHIP NOTICE.

HARDWARE.

THOMAS GEORGE & CO.,

201 LAKE STREET,

MANUFACTURERS AND DEALERS IN

Copper, Tin, Sheet-Iron Ware, Plumbers

TRIMMINGS, AND

BRASS WORK

OF EVERY DESCRIPTION.

RETAIL DEALERS IN

Parlor and Cooking Stoves and Stove Furniture,

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CONSTANTLY ON HAND.

HARDWARE AT WHOLESALE

NO. 170 LAKE STREET.

WILLIAM BLAIR & CO.,

Importers and Wholesale Dealers in American and Foreign Hardware, Tinplate, &c.

WILLIAM BLAIR. C. B. NELSON.

STOVE DEALERS.

NEWBERRY, FILLEY & WISWELL.

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"THE CHARTER OAK."

NEWBERRY, FILLY & CO.

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MASON & McARTHUR,

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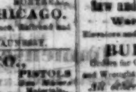

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